

## 600 MAY ATTEND SUMMER NORMAL

DEAN OF WOMEN EXPECTS THE LARGEST ENROLLMENT EVER.

## 32 TUTORS TO DIRECT WORK OF BIG QUARTER

Regular Faculty and Dozen Extras Will Conduct Classes—Registration On in Full Blast.

The biggest enrollment ever.

That is the general prediction of those in a position to know at the Normal, relative to the attendance at the summer quarter of the State Normal school, which formally begins tomorrow morning. Registration began today. At least 550, and perhaps 600, young men and women, mostly from school teachers from nineteen counties of northwest Missouri, are expected.

The first payment of dues for enrollment for the summer quarter was made yesterday morning to George Kemp, treasurer. A total of twenty-seven were made yesterday. The real influx began this morning, however. A total of 128 had paid dues at 9:30 o'clock this morning, and every hour of the day showed the number to gradually increase into the hundreds.

**Trains Are Filled.** Every Wabash and Burlington passenger train brought in a load of young men and women, beginning Monday night, and even Sunday. The jam began last night and is continuing today. Hotels are being crowded and the boarding and rooming houses of the city are receiving their full quota of roomers and boarders for the summer.

"From present indications the enrollment for this summer term will be the largest ever, by far," said Mrs. A. R. Perrin, dean of women at the Normal and proprietor of Perrin hall, the most famous boarding and rooming house in Maryville. "Never since the establishment of the Normal here have so many calls been made so far this week for board and rooms. The number of inquiries being made at the Normal indicates the same."

**Classes Begin Tomorrow.** President Ira Richardson also anticipates the largest enrollment ever, his figures being placed at between 550 and 600. Other members of the faculty have the same belief generally. Though there are scores and scores of homes throughout the city where lodging is furnished to Normal students, it is believed the last arrivals may have to hunt long for desirable rooms.

The influx is more widespread than any other summer, too. They are coming from every little hamlet and cross roads in northwest Missouri. One little locality nearby will furnish sixteen students this summer, and teachers and would-be teachers galore are flooding Maryville today.

When the real school work starts tomorrow morning, there will be on hand to care for the many classes, the regular faculty and a dozen special tutors. This will make a total of thirty-two tutors.

A total of 200 persons had paid dues for enrollment in the Normal summer term at about 3 o'clock this afternoon and the throng continued. Of this number 175 had enrolled at 2 o'clock.

## BURLINGTON TRAIN DELAYED.

Work Train Examined Roadbed Before Allowing Southbound Traffic.

Burlington southbound passenger trains No. 5 was about four hours late this morning on account of soft roadbed north of here. The train which is due at 7:52 a. m. did not arrive until 12 o'clock this noon. A work train was operated over the line this morning ahead of the passenger train to determine the condition of the track before allowing the regular train to pass. No washouts are reported.

Duluth, Minn., for eight years has owned its own gas plant, and the citizens have paid 75 cents per 1,000 feet. Just across the bay, Superior, Wis., under state regulation, users of gas for five years of that period paid \$1.40 per 1,000 feet to a private company.

## ST. MARY'S GRADUATES TWO

Large Crowd Attends Parochial School Entertainment Given Last Night—Term Closes Friday.

Two eighth grade students will graduate Friday from St. Mary's parochial schools. They are George Barmann, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barmann of Arkoe, and Vivian Buhler, the daughter of Charles Buhler of this city.

The school will close Friday, and at that time certificates of proficiency will be presented to the graduates.

The closing entertainment for the school year was given last night in the hall of St. Mary's church. A splendid program was rendered before a large audience of patrons and friends of the school. The numbers included piano and song, farce and comedy sketches, readings and drills, and were given by children in the various grades from primary to eighth grade students.

## GIVE BAND CONCERT.

Numbers for the Outdoor Musical Tomorrow Night Is Announced.

The program for the weekly band concert at the court house band stand tomorrow night was announced today by T. B. Maulding, director. If the weather is disagreeable tomorrow night, however, it will be postponed until Friday night. The following list of instrumental numbers are announced:

March, "Semper Fidelis," Sousa.

Overture, "Barber of Seville," Rossini.

Medley one-step, "He's a Rag Pick-er," Berlin.

"Shadowland," Gilbert.

Trot, "The Ala Daba Honeymoon," Donovan.

Grand selection, "Songs from the Old Folks," Lake.

Waltz, "On the Shores of Italy," Glogau.

March, "The Stars and Stripes Forever," Sousa.

## "CABIRIA" A FINE PHOTOPLAY.

Volcanic Eruptions, Fires, Battles and Desert Scenes Reelized in Empire Film.

"Cabiria," a twelve-reel photo drama of ancient history, which was shown at the Empire theater last night, can perhaps be put down without contradiction as the most spectacular and wonderful photo play ever shown in Maryville. It can no doubt be classed as better than even "Dante's Inferno," "Quo Vadis" or photo plays on that order, though not portraying such well known characters.

"From the scene of the actual eruption of Mt. Aetna in Sicily, in the first reel down through the twelve acts of battles, stormings of forts and battlements, fires, treachery, desert scenes and kidnappings, the audience is held in an intense earnestness in the eventual outcome of the principal characters in the drama. One is an Italian girl, "Cabiria, around which the plot revolves.

The play cost \$250,000 to produce, two years to complete and 7,000 persons were required in the character cast.

## To Manage Kessler Store.

G. K. Yanta, who has been managing a store owned by C. A. Kessler at Wichita, Kan., arrived in Maryville yesterday to succeed E. E. Grubb, resigned, as manager of the Kessler store here. Mr. Grubb will probably go to Warrensburg temporarily to manage a Kessler store.

## To Make Class Address.

The Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, will go to La Plata Sunday to deliver the class address to the high school graduates Sunday night. Mr. Hale formerly was pastor there.

## Miss McDougal Home.

Miss Margaret McDougal, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDougal, arrived this morning from Filer, Idaho, where she has been teaching in the city schools, and will spend the summer visiting the home folks.

## Ship Two Loads of Hogs.

A. E. Cockayne, northwest of Maryville, shipped a car of seventy-eight hogs and O. M. Gray, near Maryville, shipped a load of seventy-one hogs to St. Joseph over the Burlington yesterday afternoon.

## Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## ITALY IN AUSTRIA

LATIN TROOPS CAPTURE TOWNS ACROSS NORTH BOUNDARY.

## TEUTONS DRIVEN BACK

Turks Also Lose Heavily—Germans Claim Gains at Ypres and Near Przemyel—Russians Prisoners.

London, May 26.—Although Austria struck first with its navy and aircraft along Italy's east coast, Italy promptly countered by throwing a considerable body of troops across the northeastern frontier and occupying a stretch of Austrian territory along the river Isonzo.

Thus, although Field Marshal von Hindenburg, who has a reputation for forcing matters, is reported to be in command of the Austro-German troops along the new front, Italy, in a sense, has forestalled him.

## Take Important Towns.

Rome officially announces that the Italians have occupied a number of comparatively important towns and have compelled the Austrians to retreat.

This in brief summarizes the first thirty-six hours of the newest phase of the over-widening European conflict, which, being new, appeals to the popular imagination rather than by the seemingly unending struggle in the other theaters of the war.

The rapid stroke of the Italian army would seem to bespeak a long preparation, bearing out what the press of the allied countries contended months ago, that Italy would throw its lot with the entente and was only waiting for an opportune time.

Rome's first bulletin dealing with the movements of the army indicates that two movements are under way—one to the northward, toward the Carnic Alps; the other through the region of Friuli, ostensibly aimed at Trieste and the Istrian peninsula. Cervignano, one of the Austrian towns occupied by the Italians is only about ten miles inland from the Gulf of Trieste. Both thrusts should develop severe fighting.

## Germans Claim Gains.

The German claims for the day embrace both east and west, notably around Ypres and north of Przemyel. In the latter region it is announced that General von Mackensen is again surging forward and taking a colossal number of prisoners.

The British war office admits the British have been unable entirely to reform the line denied by the Germans east of Ypres and this dovetails with the German claims of advances in this region of Flanders.

Attending to the extremely sanguinary character of the recent hand fighting at the Dardanelles, where the British and French are seeking to dislodge the strongly entrenched Turks, there came a list of 919 casualties among the Allies engaged in this enterprise. The Turkish losses apparently have been greater as it was necessary for them to secure an armistice to bury their dead, 3,000 of whom lay piled before the British trenches.

## TO GIVE CLASS PLAY TONIGHT.

Burlington Junction High School to Graduate Nine Pupils.

The class play of the Burlington Junction high school will be given tonight at the Grand opera house. A number of specialties will be given with the play and an excellent program has been arranged.

Friday night the class address will be delivered by the Rev. Thomas C. Middleton, pastor of the Methodist church. The program will be given in the church beginning at 8 o'clock. There are nine graduates this year.

They are Lillian May Greenleaf, Eva M. Hartness, Garnett Praisewater, Mary Ethel Springer, Christy L. Spring, Okalla W. Suttle, E. William Wallace, Edna Clemence Walter and Violet Madge West.

## TO INTER-VALLEY MEET.

Normal Athletics Will Compete at Columbia Saturday With College Students.

Harold Ryan, Orlo Quinn and Ralph McClintock, Normal students, have entered for the Missouri valley conference meet next Saturday at Columbia. They will compete there on their own initiative. Ryan is a high jumper of some prominence, having won the record in the inter-collegiate meet at Springfield Saturday, and stands a good chance of placing at the Columbia meet.

Quinn will devote his energies principally to the broad jump, while McClintock is good on the dashes and half mile.

## Return from Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gilliam have returned from a week's visit at Oklahoma City, Okla., with Mrs. Gilliam's brother, Elmer Trueblood, and family.

## TORPEDO AMERICAN STEAMER

Nebraska Victim of Submarine Off Irish Coast—Ship and Crew Saved. By American Press.

London, May 26.—The American steamer Nebraska, in command of Captain Green, bound from Liverpool, May 24, for the Delaware breakwater, was torpedoed by a submarine at a point forty miles southwest of Fastnet, off the southwest coast of Ireland, today.

The sea was calm at the time and the crew at once took to the life boats and stood by the steamer. It was soon ascertained that the Nebraska was not seriously damaged. She had been struck forward and its fore holds were full of water.

The crew returned on board and got the vessel under way. No lives were lost among the crew. She carried no passengers.

## WOULD PAVE MORE

COUNCIL MAY BE ASKED TO EXTEND IMPROVEMENTS.

## PLAN WORK ON MARKET

Many Property Owners Said to Favor Paving from Third to Edwards—Council to Wait.

A discussion of propositions for more paving in Maryville may be discussed at a meeting of the city council tonight. Other than that, little business is scheduled to come up for consideration.

An ordinance bill to place a sidewalk on Market street from Grant to Lieber street will probably be brought up for passage. A petition to install a sidewalk on the west side of Short street from First to Second street also will probably be presented.

While the council will take no action towards passing more paving resolutions of its own initiative, any petitions for such improvements will be welcomed and resolutions drawn up for adoption. It is the belief of several councilmen and City Engineer F. L. Flynt that considerably more paving could be done in Maryville this summer if petitions for it were circulated.

## Up to Property Owners

The councilmen feel, however, that the property owners should hereafter take the initiative, and then let the councilmen take steps to grant the petitions.

A move now is under way to have Market paved from Third street to Edwards street, a distance of six blocks. No petition has yet been drawn up, however, though several persons owning and residing on property there have signified a desire to see the improvement. A resolution to pave Market from Third to Jenkins, thence on Jenkins to Main, was adopted recently but was killed.

By going straight south on Market it is believed the paving would be desired by a majority of the property owners, while by turning at Jenkins, the resolution received its death blow.

Several suggestions of paving from four to nine blocks on Walnut street, and on West Third from Frederick street to Grand avenue, also have been made but no definite action taken.

No action relative to the election or appointment of a city clerk is expected to come up at the meeting tonight.

## OWNS MONEY MAKING COWS.

Henry Trullinger and W. L. Robey Keep Records of Jersey and Shorthorn Products.

Henry Trullinger, living at 503 West Twelfth street, has a Shorthorn cow, which has proved a record maker in increasing the family finances this spring.

Since March 23, in addition to the family supply, the cow has given enough milk to enable Mr. Trullinger to sell \$45.40 worth to his various customers.

W. L. Robey, a near neighbor of Mr. Trullinger, has kept a record of the product of a fine Jersey cow which he owns, and since February 25 his cow has been able to churn 120 pounds of butter, and this was done outside a liberal supply of milk and cream for family use.

## Plan Tent Show Next Week.

The Chase-Lister show will be held in Maryville all next week. Mr. Lister, the advance man for the show, was in Maryville today, making arrangements. The show ground will be the Kelley lot, East Third street.

## FIX UP CEMETERY

COMPLETE WORK OF BEAUTIFYING OLD CITY BURIAL GROUND.

## MARKER TO PIONEERS

Daughters of American Revolution Will Place Boulder to Mark Unknown Graves.

The placing of a granite boulder to mark the graves of the unknown in the old city cemetery on East First street will complete a work which the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has done in reclaiming the cemetery grounds.

The burial ground is one of the landmarks of the city, the records showing the first burial to have been made in 1844. Since the early seventies the grounds have not been used.

The grounds have been leveled, driveways built, the graves restored, and the marking stones placed in concrete holders. This work was undertaken several months ago by the D. A. R. chapter, who went before the county court with the proposition and obtained the help of the judges in doing the work. The lot owners of the cemetery and the chapter members subscribed the money for a part of the work, and this fund was turned over to the county court to be used by them as judged necessary.

The county law requires that the ground be kept always as a burying ground, and hereafter it will be kept in its present condition.

As soon as the necessary funds can be procured the D. A. R. chapter will place a granite boulder as a marker and complete the other improvements which are under discussion. The committee in charge of the work is composed of Mrs. Charles T. Bell, chairman; Mrs. E. G. O'Leary, Miss Katherine Helwig, Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mrs. D. J. Thomas and Mrs. G. L. Willey.

A number of the grave markers have crumbled away and the places are unmarked. The burial record, as shown by the stones left, is as follows:

Minnie Michau, daughter of Nannie and Alfred Michau. Born May 13, 1856. Died Sept. 14, 1857.

Isabel Michau, daughter of Alfred and Nannie. Born Aug. 20, 1854. Died Sept. 19, 1855.

Milton B. son of J. and E. Saunders. Died Aug. 9, 1859. Aged 2 months.

Emeline, daughter of John and Harriet Jackson. Born Dec. 23, 1844. Aged 1 month.

John H. son of John and Harriet Jackson. Born Jan. 23, 1846. Died Oct. 19, 1850.

John Ellsworth. Died Aug. 16, 1863. Aged 71 years.

Charles Ferris. Born Oct. 26, 1862. Died Oct. 6, 1863.

Ellen, daughter of A. and B. Coulter. Died Jan. 17, 18 9. Aged 21 years, 1 month.

Phillip, son of A. and F. H. Craven. Died Oct. 21, 1868. Aged 17 years, 6 months.

Frank Martin, son of John and Mary Ann Schuler. Born Jan. 24, 1856. Died May 16, 1866.

Pauline Torrance. Born Dec. 7, 1850. Died Aug. 1, 1853.

Loyal B. Torrance. Born Feb. 24, 1810. Died Jan. 19, 1853.

James M. son of John and Margaret Allen. Died Sept. 29, 1865. Aged 20 years, 8 months.

Amanda, daughter of J. and E. Adair. Died Oct. 9, 1870. Aged 11 years, 10 months.

Perry and Annie Reynolds. Aged 1 year, 6 months. Died Nov. 28, 1863 and June 8, 1864.

Sophronia Torrance. Born July 30, 1811. Died March 14, 1856.

Ida May Torrance. Born May 14, 1856. Died March 28, 1858.

Ada M. Torrance. Born Feb. 28, 1853. Died Feb. 26, 1864.

Matilda A. Torrance. Born Sept. 7, 1826. Died Aug. 11, 1862.

Tommy, son of Eliza and Ellen Wheeler. Born Aug. 4, 1865. Died Dec. 30, 1866.

Jennie, wife of Ben Torrance. Died Jan. 7, 1868. Aged 27 years, 3 days.

Elizabeth Belieu. Born Sept. 3, 1867. Aged 58 years, 10 months.

Henry, son of A. and C. Allen. Died July 30, 1863. Aged 14 years, 4 months.

Benjamin Wheeler. Born Aug. 2, 1819. Died Feb. 3, 1864. Aged 44 years, 4 months.

Dr. Elias Albertson. Died Dec. 3, 1864. Aged 52 years, 8 months.

Jacob L. Jennings. Died Dec. 7, 1863. Aged 31 years, 10 months.

A. Allen. Died Jan. 17, 1869. Aged 21 years, 1 month.

Mary G., daughter of Dr. E. and H. Albertson. Died 1864. Aged 12 years.

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## RIVER ON USE; NO DANGER

Continued Rains Fill Streams—102 Half Bank Full—Storm Impairs Wire Service.

The continued rains of the last few days are causing the highest rise of the spring in the various rivers and streams of the county, though no danger is anticipated anywhere as a result. The 102 river at 3 o'clock this afternoon was nearly bank full at Hopkins, three-fourths full at Pickering and half bank full east of town. The rise is said to be slow at each place.

The river had not left the banks at any place and little drift was coming down so that little, if any, damage is expected. It is reported from Hopkins this afternoon however, that heavier rises in Southern Iowa, may place the 102 out of its banks later in the day or tonight there.

Some delay in train operation is being experienced over the Burlington, but that is mostly on account of a softened road bed and not any appreciable damage to the tracks.

The wind storm and lightning early this morning placed many of the rural telephone lines out of commission and service over the county and neighboring towns is considerably impaired. Slight trouble and delay also is being experienced over the telegraph lines.

The highways over the county are being washed somewhat by the rains and travel is difficult in some of the roads.

## TELLS OF WHITNEYS SUICIDE

Local Resident, Left Note Before Drinking Acid, Giving Pin to "Ruth."

On account of the events leading up to and the death of W. H. Whitney, a traveling salesman of this city, who committed suicide in Excelsior Springs, Monday morning, is given in the Excelsior Springs Daily Call which throws some light on the case.

Mrs. Whitney, employed at the Excelsior store, who went there Monday, is expected to return home tonight or tomorrow morning. No arrangements relative to the funeral or burial of Mr. Whitney have been announced. The account in part is:

W. H. Whitney, a traveling salesman, committed suicide at a hotel in this city swallowing three ounces of carbolic acid.

Mr. Whitney arrived here Friday evening, representing the Richards & Conover Hardware Company, and after transacting some business matters Saturday, we understand stated that he believed he would remain over Sunday. It developed, however, that he may have contemplated suicide for in the meantime he purchased the acid from one of the local drug stores.

About 11 o'clock Sunday night parties across the hallway from the room occupied by Whitney heard a groan, followed by a heavy fall on the floor. An investigation and a hurried summons for Dr. O'Kell told the story and death followed two hours later.

Whitney resided at Maryville, Mo., where he has a wife. A brother from Omaha will arrive tomorrow morning.

Before swallowing the poison Whitney wrote a note to his wife, asking her forgiveness, and referred to a pin which he requested to be given "Ruth." He addressed his wife as "Dear Kate." The tone of his letter did not attach any of the blame to his wife, but said that it was all his fault.

Coroner Goodson was notified and an inquest was held. The evidence presented a clear case of suicide and the jury rendered its verdict accordingly.

## THEO. GWIN WILL FILED.

Skidmore Resident Left Horse and Safe to Son-in-Law—Is Administrator.

The will of Theodore Gwin, formerly a merchant of Skidmore, who died April 19, was filed in probate court today. A son-in-law, Jonas F. Brown, will be appointed administrator today by Probate Judge W. H. Conn.

The will, which was made in 1894, leaves a horse and safe to the son-in-law, one-half of the personal property to the daughter, Mrs. Brown, and the remainder of the estate to Mrs. Elizabeth Gwin, the widow.

Fort Worth, Texas, is constructing a municipal water reservoir to cover 8,500 acres of land and to contain 40,000,000 gallons of water.

## TO-NIGHT

CAUGHT IN ACT

A KEYSTONE COMEDY

EMPIRE THEATRE

## TEST WATER FROM SANDPOINT WELLS

STATE GEOLOGIST ASKED TO FIND MINERAL INGREDIENTS.

## MAY INSTALL AERATOR FOR TREATING SUPPLY

Aqua from Surface Pipes Now Furnishes Three-Fourths of City—Believe It Solves Drought Trouble.

A chemical test of the water taken from the sand point wells, established last summer and this spring by the board of public works for the municipal water plant is to be made this week to determine the mineral materials in the water. J. H. Martin, superintendent, is sending out two samples today.

One goes to George H. Buehler, state geologist at the State School of Mines, Rolla.

The other goes to Dr. Roy Cross, Kansas City, who recently made a bacteria test of the river water for the city.

Each sample contains nearly a gallon of the sand point water, without any change being made in aeration or purification. It is expected that the result of the chemical tests will be announced by next Monday.

Though few persons of Maryville would know it by mere taste or appearance of the water now being furnished by the city, about one-fourth is taken from the river and the remainder from the wells. The supply so far has proven adequate for all needs, Superintendent Martin said.

## Plan Aeration System.

If the supply holds out so well as it does now, and the quality of the fluid remains as good as at present, it is intended to continue the use of the wells indefinitely, especially so whenever the river supply gets low.

If this is done an aeration system will be installed at the plant to take the mineral properties from the sand point supply, it is announced. For the present a make-shift affair has



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### Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

If it takes Italy as long to get out of the war as it took to get in we will have it on our hands another year.

It looks like we all might have to ride in automobiles if this European war continues much longer. England has bought through the St. Louis markets 30,000 horses and has a standing order for 1,200 per week. France has in an order for 20,000 and Italy has bought 15,500. If this rate is kept up autos will be more common than horses, and the old family nag will regain lost prestige.

There is a new Richmond in the Democratic gubernatorial field. Judge Alonzo D. Burnes of Platte City has appeared as a candidate in prospect. Judge Burnes has been judge of the fifth, or St. Joseph, district for many years and is a strong man mentally and politically. His prominence in the affairs of western Missouri will, without doubt, make him a strong competitor for the nomination.

#### "THE FAITH OF THE JOURNALIST."

From the St. Joseph Gazette.  
The journalist's faith must be in God and man. Faith in God naturally and inevitably leads to faith in man. Faith in man, if complete, must as unflinchingly go farther—reach out until it encounters somewhere the divine in spirit and in truth. So the two goals of faith are in fact but one—they are reached together.

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Why? Because it had in the beginning all that it possesses today—faith in man and faith in God. That gave purpose, and it matters not how far back we go in tracing the activities of the newspaper spirit, we find them the same—constructive, inspirational, knowing in the sweep of their vision no boundaries short of those of the universe.

In an interview published in the St. Louis Censor, Arthur N. Sager, who was the Progressive candidate for United States senator in Missouri at the last election, says on the subject of former Governor Hadley's candidacy for United States senator: "The feeling is deep rooted, whatever the fact may be, that Mr. Hadley was not loyal to Colonel Roosevelt's candidacy in the Chicago convention. I know that the national leaders of our party, men who are in close personal touch with Colonel Roosevelt, feel that Mr. Hadley, because of his own ambition, weakened in his support of Mr. Roosevelt and lost him the Republican nomination." In this connection it can also be said that it is the opinion of many Republican party leaders in Missouri that Mr. Hadley was not loyal to Mr. Taft. Mr. Sager goes on to say: "Nobody knows whether he (Hadley) voted for Mr. Taft or Mr. Roosevelt in 1912, and so far as I have been able to learn he has never made a statement in regard to the matter."—St. Joseph News-Press.

#### HOLD SHINABARGAR RITES.

Body Arrives from St. Joseph at Noon Today—Funeral This Afternoon.

The body of Mrs. Charles W. Shinabargar, who died Monday at the family home in St. Joseph, was brought to Maryville for burial, arriving at noon today. The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock at the Buchanan Street Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. John H. Hubbard. The burial was made in Miriam cemetery.

The body was accompanied to Maryville by Mr. Shinabargar and the three children of the family, Leroy, Cleo and Roena, and Mrs. Shinabargar's mother, Mrs. E. J. Dempsey. Mrs. Shinabargar was also survived by two brothers and two sisters. They are George Dempsey of Fowler, Colo.; Mrs. Emma Springer of Linwood, Kan.; Mrs. Jesse Hull and Frank Dempsey of this city.

#### To Attend Convention.

Mrs. M. D. Kemp and Mrs. Roy Pettit left yesterday for Worth, Mo., to attend the district convention of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church, in session there Tuesday and Wednesday. They will represent the society of the First Methodist church.

A commission city manager plan of government for Salem, Ore., with a perpetual tax levy limit for general purposes of not over 10 mills and a prohibition against overdrawing accounts has been recommended by a committee selected by the mayor.

Portland is making war on its unsightly vacant lots where weeds have been growing and rubbish dumped, by turning them over to its school children to be utilized in their agricultural education.

#### Brought to Hospital.

The young son of Albert Neidel, living north of Maryville, was brought to St. Francis hospital this morning and will be operated on for appendicitis.

#### Employed at Chillicothe.

Ray Farrar left last night for Chillicothe, where he will be employed by a plumbing company. Mrs. Farrar will go to Chillicothe tomorrow.

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### EXPERT ADVICE FOR AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

How often should graphite be used as a lubricant for springs? Would the paste or stick stove polish do if mixed with gasoline?

No rule can be given for this. Apply the graphite whenever it is found to be required. This may be only once a year, and then again it may be often. The object in using a lubricant between the spring leaves is to prevent squeaking, rusting and to cut down the friction. No great harm will be done if the car is used until the lubricant is exhausted. In fact, we would advise operating the car until it is noticed that a new application of graphite is required. Stove polish will not do. You should use flake or powder graphite. Your suggestion as to using gasoline brings up an interesting point. It is slightly preferable to mix the graphite with gasoline because after the paste is applied to the spring surfaces the fuel evaporates and leaves the dry graphite, which acts as a lubricant, yet there is no grease or oil to ooze out between the leaves to catch the dust and give the springs a dirty appearance.

In painting my radiator, head lights and other brass parts of my car black what can I use that will stand the heat of the lamps and radiator?

The simplest method of preparing a black varnish for brass is to fuse three pounds of asphaltum, and after it has been melted add one-half pound of shellac and one gallon of oil of turpentine.

In running less than a mile the water in my car becomes steaming hot and boils if I go very far. The cylinders are clean and timing correct. There is no stoppage. Can you suggest a remedy?

If the timing is correct and the water passages free there is no reason why the water should boil unless the mixture is too rich or the cylinders are carbonized. Examine the timing and the carburetor adjustment once more, then inspect the cylinders to see whether they are carbonized and look at the passages to see that they are not clogged. Even if the radiator is free from obstructions and the hose connections are clear there may be dirt or sand in the water jackets. Lastly, make sure that water is not being lost either by leakage or by flowing out through the radiator vent pipe. Some times the vent opening is placed low with the result that the water splashes out until enough has been lost to prevent proper cooling. To keep the water from boiling the radiator must be full or nearly so at all times. A short age of water reduces the amount of cooling, and when the level of water drops below the top of the return connection to the radiator circulation stops entirely.

What is the best means of doing away with the vibration caused by my engine when making more than twenty miles per hour? It has always done this. The car and engine are in good condition except for the vibration. The car has been equipped with airless tires.

The vibration can be minimized by balancing the reciprocating parts carefully. Remove the pistons and connecting rods. Weigh the four pistons and remove the metal from the heavier three until they weigh exactly the same as the lightest one. Do the same with the connecting rods.

In addition, if the pistons are of exceptionally heavy construction it may be possible to remove some excess material from all of them, thereby reducing the weight and vibration. The same may be said of the connecting rods.

What is the best way to strengthen the engine bed? I find that the motor rocks violently when pulling hard. The bolts holding it to the bed are tight and the bed vibrates with it.

It is next to impossible to strengthen the engine bed without putting in a new crank case. Possibly your trouble is due to allowing the motor to pull too hard. When it begins to labor on a hill shift to low gear. Do not strain the motor by allowing it to work under these conditions.

The center bolt in my rear spring breaks frequently. How can I prevent this?

The only possible explanation seems to be that you allow this bolt to come loose, or when you put in a new one you do not tighten it sufficiently. Use a lock washer to hold the nut from turning and, in addition, see that the spring clips are kept tight, because if these work loose an additional strain is placed on the center bolt.

The front cylinder in my car gets too much oil. It works well when it has a clean plug, but after running about one hundred miles it misses. What is the cause of the oily cylinder?

The trouble is undoubtedly due to a worn cylinder piston or rings or to the openings in the three rings being in alignment. An inspection of this cylinder should show where the trouble is, and if the piston or rings are worn they should be replaced. The missing, of course, is due to the plug becoming fouled with oil.

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## FIX UP CEMETERY

(Continued from page 1.)

1 month.  
Josephine, wife of A. Wendle, daughter of Dr. E. and H. Albertson. Died Oct. 20, 1865. Aged 24 years.  
Maggie J., wife of J. E. Bell. Died Oct. 27, 1870. Aged 25 years, 7 months.  
Hanna Allen. Died March 27, 1864. Aged 48 years, 1 month.

Robert, son of J. and S. Millon. Died June 6, 1868. Aged 7 years, 10 months.

Maria E. Millon. Born Oct. 28, 1862. Died Jan. 27, 1868.

Sarah J. Millon. Born Dec. 19, 1832. Died Feb. 1, 1870. Aged 37 years, 1 month.

Abraham Collett, Sr. Died Sept. 30, 1859. Aged 77 years, 4 months.

Laurinda G., wife of Abraham Collett. Died July 29, 1859. Aged 24 years, 15 days.

Jane, wife of Anthony L. Becket. Died Sept. 15, 1865. Aged 32 years, 4 months.

Oliver N., son of Thomas and Hellen Kelly. Died Sept. 29, 1857. Aged 8 months.

John A. Millon. Born April 23, 1830. Died May 1, 1862.

Keziah Jenkins. Died June 15, 1859. Aged 73 years, 4 months.

Maybelle, daughter of A. T. and S. H. Jenkins. Born June 22, 1859. Died March 15, 1862.

George, son of A. T. and S. H. Jenkins. Born May 30, 1861. Died April 16, 1862.

Willie, son of S. H. and A. T. Jenkins. Died Dec. 23, 1862. Aged 6 years, 2 months.

Olivia, wife of David Veisley. Died Aug. 28, 1865. Aged 33 years, 11 months.

Charles Baker. Died Aug. 28, 1853.

Willis, son of A. and E. Betts. Died Aug. 21, 1855. Aged 1 year, 9 months.

Sallie, wife of Henry McNeal, daughter of John and A. B. Maddy. Died April 23, 1859. Aged 61 years, 9 months.

Henry McNeal. Died Dec. 31, 1869. Aged 67 years, 26 days.

Rowley R., son of Francis M. and Partheanne Charles. Died Sept. 7, 1864. Aged 6 years, 7 months.

I. N. Castillo. Died December 20, 1858. Aged 28 years, 9 days.

Malinda C. Castillo, infant daughter of I. N. Castillo.

Isaac T. Doyle. Died April 27, 1856. Aged 2 years, 2 months, 8 days.

Catherine Zwilling. Born September 25, 1825. Died August 4, 1866. Aged 40 years, 10 months, 10 days.

Garland, son of George W. and Eliza Beth Ford. Died March 2, 1864. Aged 24 years, 1 month, 26 days.

Angeline, wife of H. H. Ware and daughter of J. E. and Mary A. Alexander. Died May 7, 1864. Aged 20 years, 2 months, 16 days.

Jane B., wife of Jole Griffith. Died August 29, 1864. Aged 54 years.

Charles E., infant son of P. and E. M. Allen. Died March 15, 1864. Aged 1 year, 27 days.

Lura May, daughter of A. T. and E. L. Stephenson. Died September 24, 1862. Aged 1 year, 1 month, 23 days.

Perry, son of Elisha and Ellen Wheeler. Born November 7, 1867. Died December 15, 1868.

Harry G., son of Thomas C. and Mary E. Johnson. Died December 29, 1867. Aged 1 year, 2 months, 23 days.

Hugh Thomas McKee. Died January 9, 1866. Aged 20 years, 7 months, 27 days.

Emily A., daughter of J. and M. Gerten. Died April 4, 1862. Aged 18 years, 7 months, 24 days.

To Visit at Garner.

Mrs. V. P. Casperson and daughter, living north of Maryville, left yesterday for a ten days' visit with relatives at Garner, Ia.

#### Insurance at Lowest Cost.

It goes without saying that you want to save money on insurance as well as anything else. This can surely be done in the Missouri Mutual Insurance company of Rock Port.

In the department insuring buildings and contents there was no assessment last year, the policy holders thus not having one cent to pay.

In the department insuring automobiles, insurance has been furnished for one-third of the old line rate.

In the tornado company (the oldest company of the kind in the state) there has been no assessment since April 1st, 1913, and only thirteen assessments in twenty-five years.

In the hail insurance company, which insures crops of growing grain against loss or damage by hailstorm, there has been no assessment in seven years.

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## HOW TO GROW 100-BU. CORN

Grant Gates, Ravenwood, Explains How He Made Record, Prize Getting Yield.

The "how" and the "why" of 100-bushel corn growing, which he did and more too, and got prizes and glory thereby, is explained in the latest issue of the Missouri Ruralist by Grant Gates, son of John Gates, near Ravenwood, just 21 years old. Both he and his brother Arthur won "first" in the state corn contest last fall.

It might incidentally be mentioned that the Gates boys had some advantages in growing their 110-bushel-to-an-acre corn, that all boy farm enthusiasts might not have. The Gates farm is located in the Platte river valley, consequently has deep, rich soil and subsoil. The ground slopes just enough to drain nicely, and is protected by a fringe of timber to temper both the cold and hot winds.

But above all that the Gates boys gave their crop careful attention, got a good stand and cultivated it well. This is how Grant himself says he tended his crop:

The first thing to be considered in raising show corn or corn for a large yield is the seed. It must be gathered in the fall before frost. Heavy frosts spoil the high percentage of germination of the kernels. I always gather about twice as much seed as I want to plant and in the spring it is tested. Seed testing the best is used on my seed plot and the remainder that tests high enough is planted first. Enough is saved to provide for a second planting if it becomes necessary. I saved about 150 bushels of seed from my acre yield, and from my brother's high yielding acre last year.

After the seed problem is settled the next thing that comes is the preparation of the seedbed for the corn. This commences as soon as the frost is out of the ground and it is dry enough. I disked the stalks on my acre plot as soon as possible, disking it twice the way it was planted, then crossed the field the other way. I had the stalks cut up fine and well mixed with the soil so a good job of plowing was possible. I plowed the ground about the middle of April, plowing it about 7 inches deep. As soon as it was plowed I harrowed it, then let it stand till I was ready to plant, then harrowed it again. The corn was planted the early part of May. It was planted with a 2-row planter using the disk furrow openers. This made a small furrow, which I think is much better than drilling on top of the ground as the corn stands up much better. As soon as the corn commenced coming up I harrowed it then rolled it, and in a short time harrowed it again.

I gave my corn three cultivations. The first time I plowed it deep, throwing the dirt away from the corn; the next time I plowed as much dirt up to it as it would stand, and the last cultivation was shallow. After the corn was "laid by" I hoed out the remaining weeds. As last year was extra dry the corn sucked badly so I went through and pulled all of the suckers off. I believe this had a great deal to do with the increased production.

From my measured acre I gathered 110 bushels and 45 pounds of sound corn. Figuring my work and expenses I made a profit of \$65, counting the corn at market price, although I had about 50 bushels of seed corn selected from this acre which I sold for \$3 and \$5 a bushel, so I find it profitable to raise acre plots for show as well as for commercial purposes. My winning the sweepstake acre yield last year was not an accident. I won second largest acre yield in 1913 and have been growing special plots for a number of years. I have increased the yield every year. I always select as much seed from the special plot as possible. I believe corn is just like live stock. Select seed from high yielding corn, just as you would live stock from thrifty, well producing ancestors, and if you keep improving the seed you are bound to get better results.

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### 15,000 PICK MISSOURI BERRIES.

Southern Missouri Fields Now Being Harvested—Good Prices Prevail.

The harvesting of southern Missouri's \$500,000 strawberry crop is in full blast this week and is requiring an army of pickers estimated at 15,000 men, women and children. Entire families are finding profitable employment in the berry fields.

Though hundreds of men are following the harvest northward from the Arkansas fields, a majority of the pickers are working in their own communities and most of the money paid to them by the growers is remaining at home.

Northwest Arkansas strawberries practically are off the market, so far as car load shipments are concerned, except from the fields near the Missouri line. The Arkansas berries were about two weeks earlier than the Missouri crop. Through the aid of the United States department of agriculture and the departments of development of the railroads, markets have been found for all carload shipments and prices received by the shippers compared well with those of former years. For several days special strawberry trains have been operated out of Van Buren, Ark., to Kansas City and St. Louis each evening.

Recently heavy rains have caused considerable damage to the berries, the continued wet weather interfering

with picking operations and resulting in great quantities of the fruit rotting on the ground. However, this is the only damage the growers have faced this season and the loss will not be great, considering the size of the crop and the prices that are being realized for the best quality.

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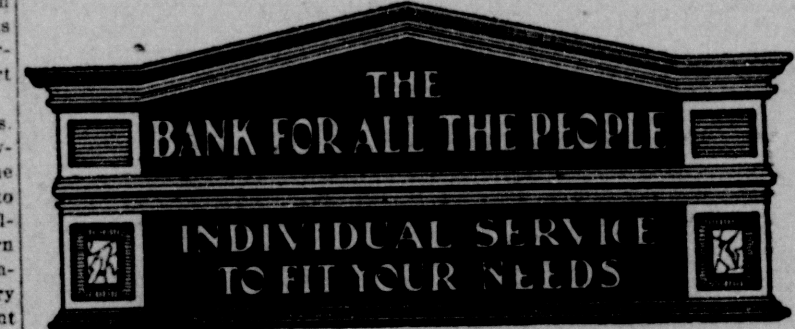
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Arrives from Jefferson City.  
Mrs. W. R. Hall of Jefferson City arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hall.

**Banquet at the Colored Baptist Church**  
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SUPER 6 O'CLOCK

**MENU**  
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Hogs—26,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.70. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.  
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

## KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—4,000. Market strong.  
Hogs—10,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.55.  
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

## ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.  
Hogs—5,000. Market strong; top, \$7.50.  
Sheep—1,500. Market steady.

## To Attend Normal.

Miss Anna Roberts of Laredo, and Miss Ella Moore of Pattonsburg, arrived in Maryville today to attend the State Normal summer term.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## Mrs. Morgan Improving.

Mrs. W. N. Morgan of Parnell, who has been at the German hospital in Kansas City for several weeks convalescing from an operation which she underwent, is improving and was taken to her home yesterday.

## Watch Your Children

Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Renall Orderlies—a mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

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Greater New York is made up of the five boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, Bronx and Richmond. These boroughs, together, constitute the "City of New York," and make the municipality that is presided over at the present time by Mayor Mitchell.

Miss Rose Schumacher, who has been spending a few days at Burlington Junction, the guest of Miss Annie Walker, will return home tonight.

## GAS CLOUD ROUTS BRITISH

Fumes Used by Germans on Front of Over Five Miles.

London, May 26.—A report received from Field Marshal Sir John French says: "Some portions of our line east of Ypres, which were lost during the enemy's gas attack, have not yet been recovered. The amount of gas used was greater than on any previous occasion—over a front of five miles."

"The gas was emitted from cylinders throughout a period of four and a half hours, and at the same time our line was bombarded with asphyxiating shells. The gas cloud rose in places forty feet high from the ground."

"Portions of the line remained intact throughout the ordeal, and our men have demonstrated that, with due precautions, this form of attack can be met and defeated."

## U. S. TO EXTEND CREDIT

Hamlin Delivers Address Before Pan-American Conference.

Washington, May 26.—Governor Hamlin of the federal reserve board told the pan-American financial conference that the United States never before was in the position it occupied today to extend its trade by granting credit to those nations which wish to be its customers.

This conference was declared by the governor to be an event of deep significance to the whole civilized world.

## Answer of Kaiser Delayed.

Washington, May 26.—President Wilson told callers he did not know causes for the delay of the German reply to the American note on the Lusitania, but he presumed the German government was for the moment absorbed in the new circumstances arising out of Italy's entrance into the war. The German embassy here has made suggestions to the German foreign office for the reply and in German quarters it is said the note will be of a character to satisfy American public opinion.

## Marvelous Exhibits at Panama Exposition

Radium Used to Promote Plant Growth.

Some of the remarkable properties of radium are being demonstrated by an exhibitor in the Liberal Arts building at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, in connection with a new invention making possible the radiating of water for medicinal purposes.

Demonstrating the power of this mineral promoting metabolism a number of young plants, some existing with and some without the aid of radium, are shown. Those in the radioactive soils are seen to be growing much more rapidly than those in common soil, and to have a more healthy appearance.

This inventor has found a process of impregnating terra cotta bricks with radium-bearing minerals, and these small bricks placed in water are said to give it remarkable curative properties. The porous bricks last almost indefinitely, losing only half their potency, it is estimated, in 1,800 years. Since the discovery of this mineral it has been found that many celebrated waters, as Carlsbad and Baden Baden, owe their health-giving properties to radium. The inventor claims that his process produces in ordinary waters the qualities of these famous springs.

The radium ore used in the manufacture of radioactive terra cotta is known as carnotite, a formation found mainly in Colorado and Utah, and now producing three-fourths of the world's radium. The European mineral, known as pitchblende, from which the famous European springs are impregnated, is also displayed.

## Most Rapid Photographs Ever Taken.

The most remarkable set of speed photographs ever taken are a part of the war department's exhibit in Machinery Hall at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco. They are pictures of a shell from a 12-inch coast defense gun in flight, the set including the various phases of the flight beginning just as the great projectile pokes its nose out of the muzzle of the gun.

The pictures were taken with a lens having an exposure period of one five-thousandth of a second, this being the fastest shutter ever manufactured. The exposure at the proper time in the flight of the projectile was made by breaking an electric circuit in a wire stretched across the trajectory at the desired point and connecting with the shutter.

One picture shows the shell half-way out of the muzzle before any smoke and gas has escaped. Another was taken when the shell was two feet from the muzzle but hidden by a heavy ring of smoke. A third shows the shell in flight a hundred feet from the muzzle. The photographs are so perfect and the exposure so rapid that scarcely any blur is perceptible. They were taken at Fort Monroe, Va., under the direction of Capt. F. J. Behl of the coast artillery corps and head of the department of enlisted specialists at the Coast Artillery school at Fort Monroe.

It cost Chicago \$6,985,904 to arrest 116,985 persons in the year 1914. More arrests were made than in any previous year.

## SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

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## Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cornell of East Second street gave a dinner party Sunday, at which they entertained Mrs. H. A. Webb, Mrs. Peter Cornell and Ray Cornell of Burlington Junction.

## Farewell Dinner Party.

Mrs. C. R. Benight, Miss Cecile Benight, Curtis Benight and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ford were guests of a dinner party given last night by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr. The Benights leave tomorrow for Colorado to make their home for the coming year. In their honor a number of dinners and other social affairs have been given the past week.

## Mrs. Embree Gives Dinner.

Mrs. J. V. Embree gave a dinner party Monday at her country home, southwest of the city, at which her guests were Mrs. C. R. Haudenschild of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. D. O. Mills of Chicago, both of whom are house guests of Mrs. Embree; the Rev. C. H. John of Siloam Springs, Ark., and the Rev. G. S. Cox.

## Complimentary to Miss Benight.

Miss Allie Jean Fraser entertained the members of the Bridgits club with an informal afternoon tea at her home, Third street, this afternoon as a farewell courtesy for Miss Cecile Benight, one of the club members, who leaves tomorrow for Colorado to enter the Colorado state university at Boulder for the coming term. Miss Fraser's guests were Miss Benight, Mrs. Dale Bellows, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Miss May Growney, Miss Marie Wells and Miss Glen Hotchkiss.

## Reception at Barnard.

Miss Kate Moss of Kansas City was the honor guest of a reception given Saturday afternoon at the home of the Rev. J. L. Bilby, pastor of the Methodist church of Barnard, and Mrs. Bilby. At the conclusion of the social hour a Women's Missionary society was organized under the direction of Miss Moss, who is a state worker for the Methodist organization. Miss Moss spoke at the Methodist church at Barnard Sunday morning and evening.

## Birthday Celebration.

A pleasant day was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis King, living near Clyde, when a large party of friends gathered to celebrate Mr. King's birthday anniversary. A picnic dinner was served at noon and the afternoon spent with various games and music. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis King, Mr. and Mrs. Leo King, Mrs. Regina King, Mrs. Bridget Maher and daughter, Katie, of Fulton, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kern, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cooper, Mrs. Ruth McQuinn, Mrs. Albert Henggeler, Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, Misses Clotilda and Margaret King, Maggie, Stephanie and Marie Steinhauser, Barbara Kern, Mary Meyer, Elizabeth and Anna Schwebach, Marie Durbin, Marie and Josephine Henggeler, Maggie and Elizabeth Cunningham, Hazel Cooper,

## Treat Children's Colds Externally

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## Aid Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. S. J. Willard tomorrow afternoon, has been postponed until Thursday afternoon of next week.

## Conleys Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Conley, living east of the city, gave a dinner party Sunday noon at which their guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lanning of Pickering, Miss Myrtle Lanning and Miss Alma Mahoney.

## M. I. Circle Entertained.

A pleasant afternoon was spent yesterday at the home of Mrs. Harvey Duncan, when the members of the M. I. Circle held their second May meeting. Mrs. Walter Mutz gave an interesting talk on the Panama-Pacific exposition, which she recently visited. Mrs. Omer Catterton read "The Vagabonds," and the round table talk on "The Present Prohibition Agitation," was conducted by Mrs. Vada Halley. Mrs. Walter Mutz and Mrs. C. B. Roberts were elected delegates from the Circle to the biennial meeting of the state federation held in St. Joseph this week.

## Picnic and Theater Party.

A picnic and supper at Normal park last night followed by a theater party at the Fern to see Elsie Janis in "The Caprices of Kitty" was enjoyed by a party composed of Miss Mary Woodridge, Miss Elfreida Linnville, Miss Mabel Curnutt, Miss Marie Wright, Miss Mary Carpenter, Miss Leona Pierpoint, Miss Lillian Carpenter, Miss Mildred Bellows, Miss Georgia Evans, Miss Greta Kemp, Miss Marguerite Cummins, Kenneth Van Cleve, Forrest Gilling, Russell Burris, William Van Cleve, Claude Glass, Martin Lewis, Jr., Curtis Benight, Byron Costello, Francis Barmann, Eugene Yehle, Omer Lyle, Clark Evans and Ellison Frank. The crowd was chaperoned by Miss Alicia Keeler, Miss Virginia Rose and Miss Gertrude Wright.

## To Attend State Meeting.

Mrs. M. G. Tate, president, and Mrs. Berney Harris and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, delegates from the Twentieth Century club; Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, delegate from the City Federation, and Mrs. C. B. Roberts, representative of the Mutual Improvement Circle, left today for St. Joseph to attend the biennial meeting of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs, which convenes there May 27, 28 and 29. The Maryville party will be met at St. Joseph by Mrs. G. H. Colbert, president of the City Federation, who has been visiting relatives at Holton, Kan. Mrs. Colbert is one of the six after-dinner speakers at a civic luncheon to be given at noon tomorrow at the Robidoux hotel, complimentary to the delegates. Mrs. Walter Mutz, who is also a delegate from the M. I. Circle, will go to St. Joseph tomorrow.

## Mrs. Robinson Hostess.

Mrs. James B. Robinson extended her hospitality yesterday afternoon to the officers of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church at a delightful afternoon tea. The first part of the afternoon was devoted to an informal discussion of the annual yearbook fair, to be held early in December. Later a victrola musicale was enjoyed and a delicious luncheon was served. Those present were Mrs. W. C. Frank, Mrs. Newton Hagins, Mrs. Roy Flynt, Mrs. Edward Hamlin, Mrs. George Hartley, Mrs. Edward Egley, Mrs. L. G. Crossan, Mrs. George Pat Wright, Mrs. James Ray, Mrs. R. L. McDougall, Mrs. H. B. Schuler, Miss Cottrell of Princeton, Mo., who is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Schuler, was a special visitor of the afternoon.

## WHO OWNS MISSOURI LANDS?

Professor of Law at University of Missouri Says Land Holder Is Tenant of State.

Does a Missouri farmer really own his own land? If he holds a clear title, does the law look upon him as the owner of the land, or does it look upon the state as the owner and the farmer as the tenant? These questions are treated in a recent bulletin upon "Land Tenure and Conveyances in Missouri," by Manley O. Hudson, professor of law at the University of Missouri at Columbia. Professor Hudson gives a history of land ownership in Missouri, concluding that no land in Missouri is really owned except by the state, and that a person holding a title to a farm is really a tenant of the state.

Several hundred years ago in England, the king owned all land, ownership of land being a royal prerogative. The king parceled out his land to his subjects who held it by what was known as tenure. The tenure sometimes rendered military service to the owner or lord, and sometimes only agricultural service. This system of land holding still prevails in legal theory in England.

A similar situation existed in the American colonies under British dominion, and it is the accepted view that all land was held in tenure prior to the American Revolution. This system of landholding was not changed by the Revolution except that the respective states were substituted for the British crown as overlords.

In the territory acquired by the Louisiana Purchase this problem of legal theory is not so easily solved. The territory which is now Missouri

was owned by France prior to 1762, by Spain between 1762 and 1802, again by France from 1802 to 1803, when it was ceded to the United States. Professor Hudson concludes that during these various periods the land was upheld by the French and Spanish crowns respectively. He traces the history of the Spanish law which prevailed in Missouri until 1816 and shows that it includes a system of land tenure somewhat similar to that which prevailed in England.

The legislature of Missouri abolished the Spanish law in 1816 and substituted the so-called common law of England. By the common law of England, as is shown above, land was held of the crown. Mr. Hudson concludes, therefore, that land in Missouri today is really owned by the state and held by the person who has the title, either because of the system of tenure in the Spanish law or because of the adoption of the common law of England in 1816.

Mr. Hudson says that the courts and lawyers seem to have assumed, without much discussion of the subject, that tenure did not find its way into Missouri law. His conclusion shows that in many respects our law is still based on medieval conceptions. Many states have by constitutional amendment or legislative enactment abolished this feudal conception of land tenure and Professor Hudson believes if his conclusion is right, the law in Missouri should be changed by a constitutional amendment which would declare that land can really be owned by the person who has the title.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## VIOLIN OUTFIT FREE!

Our new teacher of violin, Miss Callie Thompson, will begin with us this week. To those who register before June 10 and pay for 20 lessons in advance, \$15.00, we will give a good violin outfit free. Come to the school and ask to see this violin. The outfit we sell without the lessons for \$12.

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## What Do You Need in Men's Furnishings?

## Union Suits

Cooper Athletic Suits, Imperial Underwear.

Our 50 cent Union Suits compare favorably with others selling at \$1.00.

## SHOES

For The Men \$2.00 to \$4.00  
For The Boys \$1.50 to \$2.00

## Manhattan Shirts

None better than these. Other brands of Nationally known Shirts. What ever you want in the Shirt line we can show you.

## TIES

The very latest and newest. Extra values in this line. Conservative designs and others for the young fellows.

We are sure you can find what you want in this line from our complete stock.

M. NUSBAUM

## Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today

Deposits of One Dollar and upwards Received in our Savings Department.

Interest Paid Twice A Year

Oldest Bank in The County

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK  
A BANK FOR SAVINGS  
MARYVILLE MISSOURI

4%  
ON  
SAVINGS  
DEPOSITS



# Advertised Articles

By Bert M. Moses

President Association of American Advertisers.

Nearly always an advertised article is better than a similar thing not advertised.

And a store that advertises nearly always renders a more satisfactory service than one which doesn't.

Advertising of itself doesn't make an article more worthy or make a store better, but it establishes a reputation that must be maintained, and the only way to maintain a reputation is to be worthy of it.

When a man establishes a good trade by advertising he isn't going to lose that trade by rendering an unsatisfactory service.

He is going to hold the business that advertising has created by making the articles he sells so good that they will please the folks who buy them and induce them to buy more.

The man who does a small business with products that are unknown has little to lose, and so he isn't so very particular whether his customers are satisfied or not.

When you see the advertising of anything appear year after year you may be sure the articles advertised are worthy.

Advertising costs money, and the only way to pay advertising bills is to advertise something that will produce enough trade to supply the money.

You often hear people say: "I wonder if So-and-So is any good? I have seen it advertised so much in the newspapers."

Of course it's good, because the continued advertising of bad things is as impossible as the continued running of an automobile without gasoline.

The fellow who used to come along with propositions and endeavor to "clean up" by flashy advertising in a day or week is in hard lines in this year 1915.

Good newspapers will not accept such advertising and his effort to collect coin without giving fair return is as difficult as winning a baseball championship with a team that can't hit the ball and is weak in the box.—From the University Missourian.

## PRINCESS CECILIE.

Patriotism Draws Her to Native Country, Says Report; May Leave German Heir.



Photo by American Press Association

## ITALY BUYS U. S. HORSES

Completes Purchase of 11,500, While France Acquires 20,000.

East St. Louis, Ill., May 26.—Representatives of Italy completed the purchase of 11,500 horses. They previously had bought 8,000.

Agents of the French government also began filling an order for 20,000 horses. This is the largest single order received in the United States since the European war began. France already has bought 30,000 horses at this market.

The British agents have bought 30,000 horses, but they have a standing order for 1,200 a week.

Fifty Crown as Ship Goes to Bottom. Santiago, May 26.—Fifty persons were drowned when the Chilean steamer Maximiliano Errazuriz struck a reef and sank.

## STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League.	American League.
W.L. P.	W.L. P.
Phila. ....18 11 621	Chicago ..23 12 657
Chicago ..20 13 696	Detroit ..22 13 629
Brooklyn ..15 15 509	New York ..17 13 567
St. Louis ..16 17 493	Boston ..13 14 481
Boston ..15 16 484	Wash'ton 14 16 467
Pitts'gh ..15 16 484	Cleveland 18 19 496
Cincin'ti 12 17 441	St. Louis 14 20 412
New York 11 17 393	Phila. ....12 21 384
Federal League.	American Ass'n.
Pitts'gh ..21 13 618	Ind. pols 21 12 536
Chicago ..21 14 600	Min' wee 18 14 563
Kan. City ..19 14 578	Kan. City 18 14 563
Newark ..19 16 543	Louisville 18 15 543
St. Louis ..16 16 536	St. Paul ..16 16 500
Brooklyn 16 16 500	Cleveland 14 17 452
Baltimore 13 16 382	Min' pols 12 16 429
Buffalo ..10 24 294	Columbus 12 21 364

## BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.	R.H.E.
At Philadelphia.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-2-2
Chicago.....	0-0-0-0-0-2-10-3-6-1
Philadelphia.....	3-6-1
Standard and Bresnahan; Alexander and Kilmer.	
At New York.....	R.H.E.
St. Louis.....	0-0-0-0-0-2-7-0-11-14-3
New York.....	0-0-1-0-0-3-0-1-5-6-3
Doak-Snyder; Tesreau-Smith.	
At Boston.....	R.H.E.
Cincinnati.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-1-0-1-7-2
Boston.....	0-0-0-0-0-2-0-1-3-9-1
Beaton-Doolin; Rudolph-Gowdy.	
At Brooklyn.....	R.H.E.
Pittsburgh.....	1-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-1-10-1
Brooklyn.....	0-0-2-0-0-0-1-5-11-10
Harmon-Schang; Pfeiffer-McCarthy.	
American League.	R.H.E.
At Detroit.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-1-1-8-11-1
Washington.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-1-1-8-11-1
Detroit.....	1-1-0-1-0-1-0-4-13-1
Gallia-Almsmith; Dubuc-Stanage.	
At Cleveland.....	R.H.E.
Cleveland.....	2-10-0-0-0-0-0-0-5-11-1
Philadelphia.....	0-10-3-0-0-1-0-0-1-14-1
Walker-O'Neill; Wyckoff-McAvoy.	
Federal League.	R.H.E.
At Pittsburgh.....	0-0-1-0-0-1-0-1-1-12-0
Brooklyn.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-2-5-2
Pittsburgh.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-2-5-2
Seaton-Pratt; Knetzer-Berry.	
Second game.....	R.H.E.
Brooklyn.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-2-0-4-9-0
Pittsburgh.....	0-2-0-0-0-0-0-0-5-12-3
Marion-Land; Allen-O'Connor.	
At Kansas City.....	R.H.E.
Newark.....	0-1-0-1-1-0-0-2-5-10-2
Kansas City.....	0-0-2-0-0-0-0-0-4-6-10-1
Falkenberg-Bariden; Mata-Brown.	
Western League.	R.H.E.
At Omaha.....	0-1-2-1-0-1-0-1-6-12-2
Lincoln.....	0-3-0-0-1-0-0-0-4-9-3
Blodgett-Kalora; Dawson-Yantz.	
At St. Joseph.....	R.H.E.
Topeka.....	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-3-0
St. Joseph.....	0-0-1-0-7-0-0-0-8-10-0
Grover-Monroe; Vance-White.	
At Sioux City.....	R.H.E.
Sioux City.....	0-0-1-0-0-0-0-0-1-5-1
Denver.....	0-0-3-1-1-0-3-0-9-14-0
Kelley-Crisp; Mitchell-Spahr.	
At Des Moines.....	R.H.E.
Wichita.....	0-0-1-0-0-2-0-0-3-11-2
Des Moines.....	0-2-4-0-0-1-0-0-9-8-0
Nelson-Griffith; Musser-Graham.	
American Association.	R.H.E.
At Kansas City.....	0-0-1-0-0-0-0-0-3-11-4
Cleveland.....	0-0-1-0-0-0-0-0-3-11-4
Kansas City.....	0-0-1-0-0-0-0-0-3-11-4
James-Bassler; Roman-Alexander.	

## EXPECT 1000 STUDENTS AT M. U. SUMMER SESSION.

Faculty of Seventy-Four Will Give Courses for Eight Weeks Beginning June 11.

Already students are coming into Columbia to enroll in the Summer Session of the University which will open June 11 and continue for eight weeks. A large number of the students of the Summer Session are teachers who take work during their vacation that will fit them for higher salaries during the coming year. However, the Summer Session at the University of Missouri offers courses in many other departments besides those particularly relating to teaching. Fully 1,000 students are expected at Columbia this summer. The enrollment last summer was about 850.

The faculty of the 1915 Summer Session will consist of seventy-four members, representing eleven other colleges and universities besides the University of Missouri. Courses will be offered in twenty-seven departments as follows: In agriculture, 12 courses; in botany, 3; chemistry, 5; economics, 3; education, 20; engineering, 5; English, 9; geology and geography, 7; German, 8; Greek, 1; history, 10; home economics, 6; journalism, 6; Latin, 5; library methods, 1; manual arts, 8; mathematics, 9; music, 7; philosophy, 3; physical education, 5; physics, 9; political science, 3; psychology, 2; romance languages, 4; sociology, 3; zoology, 3.

All of the courses offered are of college grade and many of them count toward degrees given by the University of Missouri on the completion of prescribed curricula.

## LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, May 26th, 1915:

Bartlett, H. C.  
Culver, Thos. R.  
Charles P. P.  
Coulter, C. M.  
DeArmond, J. D.  
Dunkle, Wm.  
Gibson, Wm.  
Menz, W. D. (Official)  
Quinn, Bob  
Radabaugh, J. S.  
Tapley, George A.  
Varve, Calla  
Zuck, Amos E.

Women.  
Alin, Mrs. Anie  
Bailey, Miss Anna  
Graves, Miss Bessie  
Huff, Mrs. Grace  
Millard, Miss Goldie  
Sipes, Mrs. C. H.  
Troupe, Wm. N.  
Williams, Mrs. Anna  
Miscellaneous.  
Return to writer—1301 East 4th St.  
Persons calling for the above named letters mention "advertised."

Respectfully  
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

## Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets

will relieve your indigestion. Many people in this town have used them and we have yet to hear of a case where they have failed. We know the formula. Sold only by us—25c a box. Great-Henry Drug Co.

Market Live Stock.  
The following Nodaway county farmers and stockmen marketed live stock in St. Joseph yesterday:

F. C. Argabright and G. T. Clardy.  
Elmo; Henderson and Whiteford and W. N. Wray, Guilford; M. B. Sherlock, L. E. White and J. B. Nunnally, Maryville; W. A. Anderson, Pickering; Joe Holker, Hopkins; C. Finnell and A. Logan, Burlington Junction; C. J. White, F. Peoples and J. Owens, Skidmore.

Arrangements have been made for public dances this year in the smaller parks and play grounds in St. Louis. A portable platform, which will be taken from park to park according to schedule, is being constructed.

## MEMORIAL DAY FLOWERS

The beautiful custom of honoring those who have laid down their lives in sacrifice for the principles for which they fought and showing a tribute to our loved ones departed, by covering their graves with flowers at least once a year is one of the most inspiring and poetic breaks in the busy life of our country and it is a credit that Memorial Day is observed with increasing interest each year. Our selection provides everything suitable for the proper observance of Memorial Day in flowers such as beautiful blooming plants, fresh cut flowers, and lasting wreaths, etc.

The Engelmann Greenhouses  
1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

## LORD KITCHENER RETAINS HIS POST

Balfour Is Now First Lord of Admiralty.

ASQUITH AND GREY TO STAY.

Lloyd-George Made Minister of Munitions and Churchill Chancellor of Duchy of Lancaster—King George Approves Coalition Government.

London, May 26.—Lord Kitchener retains the post of secretary of war in the new coalition cabinet, which has received the approval of King George. The new first lord of the admiralty will be Arthur J. Balfour. Winston Spencer Churchill, former head of the admiralty, is given the portfolio of chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster.

Herbert H. Asquith retains the premiership and Sir Edward Grey the ministry of foreign affairs. David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer in the old cabinet, will be minister of munitions in the new one.

The new cabinet follows: Prime minister, Mr. Asquith; minister without portfolio, Lord Lansdowne; lord high chancellor, Sir Stanley O. Buckmaster; lord president of the council, Lord Crewe; lord privy seal, Lord Curzon; chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna; secretary of state for home affairs, Sir John A. Simon; secretary of state for foreign affairs, Sir Edward Grey; secretary for the colonies, Andrew Bonar Law; secretary for India, J. Austen Chamberlain; secretary of state for war, Lord Kitchener; minister of munitions, David Lloyd-George; first lord of the admiralty, Arthur J. Balfour; president of the board of trade, Walter Runciman; president of the local government board, Walter Hume Long; chancery of the duchy of Lancaster, Winston Spencer Churchill; chief secretary for Ireland, Augustine Birrell; secretary for Scotland, Thomas McKinnon Wood; president of the board of agriculture, Lord Selborne; first commissioner of works, Lewis Harcourt; president of the board of education, Arthur Henderson; attorney general, Sir Edward Carson.

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## BARON SONNINO. Italian Foreign Minister Directs Nation's Destinies in Present War Crisis.



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## DEMOCRAT-FORUM

## WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion. Minimum rate for three days. Unreserved sections 1 cent a word for each insertion.

## For Rent.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without board. 210 East Thompson. Hanamo phone 5153. 26-28

FOR RENT—Several nice rooms for young men students. 121 South Main. Hanamo 44. 26-28

FOR RENT—Pasture one mile north of Maryville, \$2 head. A. C. Gann, East Fourth street. 24-26

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms over Alderman-Yehos. See Roseberry & Frank. 25-27

FOR RENT—75 acres pasture, 5 miles southwest of Hopkins. Phone or write T. L. Wilderman's garage. 22-27

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, roomers or light housekeeping. Everything convenient. Mrs. Dinamore, 207 South Buchanan. 24-26

FOR RENT—To small family, 5-room apartment with bath, sleeping porch, laundry attachment, strictly modern, both well and city water, \$16 per month. Charles Hyslop. 14-17

FOR RENT—8-room modern residence at 223 East Sixth. Possession June 1. See Real Estate bank or address E. S. Cook, Jefferson, Gravois and Sidney Sts., St. Louis, Mo. 15-17

LOST—Gold Waltham watch and fob, name "Estell Griffith" in watch. Laborer reward. Return this office. 24-29

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 822 East Second, very reasonable. See Della Cox Miller at dressmaking rooms, or phone 3459. 24-26

## Miscellaneous.

WANTED—15-year-old boy wants a position on farm. Call Aaron Felix at Berney Harris store. 26-28

The rummage sale which was to have been held tomorrow in the basement of the First Methodist church has been postponed until Wednesday of next week. 26

SPOUTING, valleys and tin roofs laid by Hall's new tinners. 25-27

WANTED—100 automobiles and buggies to paint. Barman Auto Co. 6-8

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co. 25-27

You can have your old carpets made into nice rugs at a moderate cost. Jos. Cornell, Hanamo phone 144. 26-28

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. R. E. Thomas, both phones. 25-27

WANTED—All kinds of tinners' work for our new tinners, at Hall's hardware. 25-27

## For Sale.

FOR SALE—McCormick mower, almost new. See Shube Woodard or Dug Phillips. 26-28

FOR SALE—Extra good corn at 50c a bushel, delivered. Hanamo phone 3698. Saunders Bros. 11

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Overland automobile, 1913 model. See A. W. Hawkins. 22-26

FOR SALE—International auto delivery wagon cheap. Remus store. 25-28

## Lost.

LOST—White poodle dog, very thin, with short hair. Reward. Return to 219 West Second. 24-26

The federal census five years ago gave Des Moines, Ia., a population of 86,398. The claim is now made that it has passed the 100,000 mark.

CHARLES E. STILWELL, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.

Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

CONKLIN & TINDALL, COMPETENT PLUMBERS AND STEAM FITTERS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Always awake. 208 West Third Street. Hanamo phone 323.

## The Hamiltonian Stallion

Gladstone record 2:10 and Egozelle, one of the best bred ones in the state, will make the season at the Fair Grounds, Maryville, Missouri.

J. L. SCOTT, Owner

## NAME STATE FAIR JUDGES.

J. H. Harvey to Inspect Chester Whites at Sedalia Exhibition.

The state board of agriculture in a recent meeting at Columbia made the appointment of judges for the various live stock and agricultural divisions of the state fair to be held next fall at Sedalia. J. H. Harvey of Maryville will oversee the inspection of the Chester White hogs on display.

Judges of the various exhibits at the state fair were appointed as follows:

Draft and coach horses, J. G. Fuller, Madison, Wis.; alternate, J. L. Edwards, Urbana, Ill.

Light horses, Victor Robinson, Harrodsburg, Ky.; Ira G. Sharp, Sharpsburg, Ill.; Ben Glenn, Columbia; alternate for Glenn, J. H. Bright, St. Louis.

## Brick Work Wanted

441 Idaho Street

Your Brick Work Repairing of All Kinds, both OLD and NEW. Mantels, Flues, Foundations or Cement Work. No Job is too Large or Small. All work guaranteed. Phone 521.

FRANK REYNOLDS  
Maryville, Missouri

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DEALER IN Studebaker and Overland Automobiles



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NO. 306.

## 600 MAY ATTEND SUMMER NORMAL

DEAN OF WOMEN EXPECTS THE LARGEST ENROLLMENT EVER.

## 32 TUTORS TO DIRECT WORK OF BIG QUARTER

Regular Faculty and Dozen Extras Will Conduct Classes—Registration On in Full Blast.

The biggest enrollment ever.

That is the general prediction of those in a position to know at the Normal, relative to the attendance at the summer quarter of the State Normal school, which formally begins tomorrow morning. Registration began today. At least 550, and perhaps 600, young men and women, mostly women school teachers from nineteen counties of northwest Missouri, are expected.

The first payment of dues for enrollment for the summer quarter was made yesterday morning to George Kemp, treasurer. A total of twenty-seven were made yesterday. The real influx began this morning, however. A total of 128 had paid dues at 9:30 o'clock this morning, and every hour of the day showed the number to gradually increase into the hundreds.

Trains Are Filled.

Every Washburn and Burlington passenger train brought in a load of young men and women, beginning Monday night, and even Sunday. The jam began last night and is continuing today. Hotels are being crowded and the boarding and rooming houses of the city are receiving their full quota of roomers and boarders for the summer.

"From present indications the enrollment for this summer term will be the largest ever, by far," said Mrs. A. R. Perrin, dean of women at the Normal and proprietor of Perrin hall, the most famous boarding and rooming house in Maryville. "Never since the establishment of the Normal here have so many calls been made so far this week for board and rooms. The number of inquiries being made at the Normal indicates the same."

Classes Begin Tomorrow.

President Ira Richardson also anticipates the largest enrollment ever, his figures being placed at between 550 and 600. Other members of the faculty have the same belief generally. Though there are scores and scores of homes throughout the city where lodging is furnished to Normal students, it is believed the last arrivals may have to hunt long for desirable rooms.

The influx is more widespread than any other summer, too. They are coming from every little hamlet and cross roads in northwest Missouri. One little locality nearby will furnish sixteen students this summer, and teachers and would-be teachers galore are flooding Maryville today.

When the real school work starts tomorrow morning, there will be on hand to care for the many classes, the regular faculty and a dozen special tutors. This will make a total of thirty-two teachers.

A total of 200 persons had paid dues for enrollment in the Normal summer term at about 3 o'clock this afternoon and the throng continued. Of this number 175 had enrolled at 2 o'clock.

## BURLINGTON TRAIN DELAYED.

Work Train Examines Roadbed Before Allowing Southbound Traffic.

Burlington southbound passenger trains No. 5 was about four hours late this morning on account of soft roadbed north of here. The train which is due at 7:52 a. m. did not arrive until 12 o'clock this noon. A work train was operated over the line this morning ahead of the passenger train to determine the condition of the track before allowing the regular train to pass. No washouts are reported.

Duluth, Minn., for eight years has owned its own gas plant, and the citizens have paid 75 cents per 1,000 feet. Just across the bay, Superior, Wis., under state regulation, users of gas for five years of that period paid \$1.40 per 1,000 feet to a private company.

## ST. MARY'S GRADUATES TWO

Large Crowd Attends Parochial School Entertainment Given Last Night—Term Closes Friday.

Two eighth grade students will graduate Friday from St. Mary's parochial schools. They are George Barmann, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barmann of Arkoe, and Vivian Buhler, the daughter of Charles Buhler of this city.

The school will close Friday, and at that time certificates of proficiency will be presented to the graduates.

The closing entertainment for the school year was given last night in the hall of St. Mary's church. A splendid program was rendered before a large audience of patrons and friends of the school. The numbers included piano and song, farce and comedy sketches, readings and drills, and were given by children in the various grades from primary to eighth grade students.

## GIVE BAND CONCERT.

Numbers for the Outdoor Musicals Tomorrow Night Is Announced.

The program for the weekly band concert at the court house band stand tomorrow night was announced today by T. B. Maulding, director. If the weather is disagreeable tomorrow night, however, it will be postponed until Friday night. The following list of instrumental numbers are announced:

March, "Semper Fidelis," Sousa.

Overture, "Barber of Seville," Rossini.

Medley one-step, "He's a Rag Picker," Berlin.

"Shadowland," Gilbert.

Trot, "The Aha Daba Honeymoon," Donovan.

Grand selection, "Songs from the Old Folks," Lake.

Waltz, "On the Shores of Italy," Glogau.

March, "The Stars and Stripes Forever," Sousa.

## "CABIRIA" A FINE PHOTOPLAY.

Volcanic Eruptions, Fires, Battles and Desert Scenes Relished in Empire Film.

"Cabiria," a twelve-reel photo drama of ancient history, which was shown at the Empire theater last night, can perhaps be put down without contradiction as the most spectacular and wonderful photo play ever shown in Maryville. It can no doubt be classed as better than even "Dante's Inferno," "Quo Vadis" or photo plays on "that order, though not portraying such well known characters."

"From the scene of the actual eruption of Mt. Aetna in Sicily, in the first reel down through the twelve acts of battles, stormings of forts and battlements, fires, treachery, desert scenes and kidnappings, the audience is held in an intense earnestness in the eventual outcome of the principal characters in the drama. One is an Italian girl, 'Cabiria,' around which the plot revolves.

The play cost \$250,000 to produce, two years to complete and 7,000 persons were required in the character cast.

## To Manage Kessler Store.

G. K. Yantis, who has been managing a store owned by C. A. Kessler at Wichita, Kan., arrived in Maryville yesterday to succeed E. E. Grubb, resigned, as manager of the Kessler store here. Mr. Grubb will probably go to Warrensburg temporarily to manage a Kessler store.

## To Make Class Address.

The Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, will go to La Plata Sunday to deliver the class address to the high school graduates Sunday night. Mr. Hale formerly was pastor there.

## Miss McDougal Home.

Miss Margaret McDougal, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDougal, arrived this morning from Filer, Idaho, where she has been teaching in the city schools, and will spend the summer visiting the home folks.

## Ship Two Loads of Hogs.

A. E. Cockayne, northwest of Maryville, shipped a car of seventy-eight hogs and O. M. Gray, near Maryville, shipped a load of seventy-one hogs to St. Joseph over the Burlington yesterday afternoon.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## ITALY IN AUSTRIA

LATIN TROOPS CAPTURE TOWNS ACROSS NORTH BOUNDARY.

## TEUTONS DRIVEN BACK

Turks Also Lose Heavily—Germans Claim Gains at Ypres and Near Przemyśl—Russians Prisoners.

London, May 26.—Although Austria struck first with its navy and aircraft along Italy's east coast, Italy promptly countered by throwing a considerable body of troops across the north-eastern frontier and occupying a stretch of Austrian territory along the river Isonzo.

Thus, although Field Marshal von Hindenburg, who has a reputation for forcing matters, is reported to be in command of the Austro-German troops along the new front, Italy, in a sense, has forestalled him.

## Take Important Towns.

Rome officially announces that the Italians have occupied a number of comparatively important towns and have compelled the Austrians to retreat.

This in brief summarizes the first thirty-six hours of the newest phase of the ever-widening European conflict, which, being new, appeals to the popular imagination rather than by the seemingly unending struggle in the other theaters of the war.

The rapid stroke of the Italian army would seem to bespeak a long preparation, bearing out what the press of the allied countries contended months ago, that Italy would throw its lot with the entente and was only waiting for an opportune time.

Rome's first bulletin dealing with the movements of the army indicates that two movements are under way—one to the northward, toward the Carnic Alps; the other through the region of Friuli, ostensibly aimed at Trieste and the Istrian peninsula. Cervignano, one of the Austrian towns occupied by the Italians is only about ten miles inland from the Gulf of Trieste. Both thrusts should develop severe fighting.

## Germans Claim Gains.

The German claims for the day embrace both east and west, notably around Ypres and north of Przemyśl. In the latter region it is announced that General von Mackensen is again surging forward and taking a colossal number of prisoners.

The British war office admits the British have been unable entirely to reform their line denied by the Germans east of Ypres and this dovetails with the German claims of advances in this region of Flanders.

Attesting to the extremely sanguinary character of the recent hand fighting at the Dardanelles, where the British and French are seeking to dislodge the strongly entrenched Turks, there came a list of 919 casualties among the Austrians engaged in this enterprise. The Turkish losses apparently have been greater as it was necessary for them to secure an armistice to bury their dead, 3,000 of whom lay piled before the British trenches.

## TO GIVE CLASS PLAY TONIGHT.

Burlington Junction High School to Graduate Nine Pupils.

The class play of the Burlington Junction high school will be given tonight at the Grand opera house. A number of specialties will be given with the play and an excellent program has been arranged.

Friday night the class address will be delivered by the Rev. Thomas C. Middleton, pastor of the Methodist church. The program will be given in the church beginning at 8 o'clock. There are nine graduates this year.

They are Lillian May Greenleaf, Eva M. Hartness, Garnett Praisewater, Mary Ethel Springer, Christy L. Spring er, Okalia W. Suttle, E. William Wallace, Edna Clemence Walter and Violet Madge West.

## TO INTER-VALLEY MEET.

Normal Athletes Will Compete at Columbia Saturday With College Students.

Harold Ryan, Orlo Quinn and Ralph McClintock, Normal students, have entered for the Missouri valley conference meet next Saturday at Columbia. They will compete there on their own initiative. Ryan is a high jumper of some prominence, having won the record in the inter-collegiate meet at Springfield Saturday, and stands a good chance of placing at the Columbia meet.

Quinn will devote his energies principally to the broad jump, while McClintock is good on the dashes and half mile.

## Return from Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gilliam have returned from a week's visit at Oklahoma City, Okla., with Mrs. Gilliam's brother, Elmer Trueblood, and family.

## TORPEDO AMERICAN STEAMER

Nebraska Victim of Submarine Off Irish Coast—Ship and Crew Saved. By American Press.

London, May 26.—The American steamer Nebraska, in command of Captain Green, bound from Liverpool, May 24, for the Delaware breakwater, was torpedoed by a submarine at a point forty miles southwest of Fastnet, off the southwest coast of Ireland, today. The sea was calm at the time and the crew at once took to the life boats and stood by the steamer. It was soon ascertained that the Nebraska was not seriously damaged. She had been struck forward and its fore holds were full of water.

The crew returned on board and got the vessel under way. No lives were lost among the crew. She carried no passengers.

## WOULD PAVE MORE

COUNCIL MAY BE ASKED TO EXTEND IMPROVEMENTS.

## PLAN WORK ON MARKET

Many Property Owners Said to Favor Paving from Third to Edwards—Council to Wait.

A discussion of propositions for more paving in Maryville may be discussed at a meeting of the city council tonight. Other than that, little business is scheduled to come up for consideration. An ordinance bill to place a sidewalk on Market street from Grant to Lieber street will probably be brought up for passage. A petition to install a sidewalk on the west side of Short street from First to Second street also will probably be presented.

While the council will take no action towards passing more paving resolutions of its own initiative, any petitions for such improvements will be welcomed and resolutions drawn up for adoption. It is the belief of several councilmen and City Engineer F. L. Flynt that considerably more paving could be done in Maryville this summer if petitions for it were circulated.

## Up to Property Owners

The councilmen feel, however, that the property owners should hereafter take the initiative, and then let the councilmen take steps to grant the petitions.

A move now is under way to have Market paved from Third street to Edwards street, a distance of six blocks. No petition has yet been drawn up, however, though several persons owning and residing on property there have signified a desire to see the improvement. A resolution to pave Market from Third to Jenkins, thence on Jenkins to Main, was adopted recently but was killed.

By going straight south on Market it is believed the paving would be desired by a majority of the property owners, while by turning at Jenkins, the resolution received its death blow.

Several suggestions of paving from four to nine blocks on Walnut street, and on West Third from Frederick street to Grand avenue, also have been made but no definite action taken.

No action relative to the election or appointment of a city clerk is expected to come up at the meeting tonight.

## OWNS MONEY MAKING COWS.

Henry Trullinger and W. L. Robey Keep Records of Jersey and Shorthorn Products.

Henry Trullinger, living at 503 West Twelfth street, has a Shorthorn cow, which has proved a record maker in increasing the family finances this spring.

Since March 23, in addition to the family supply, the cow has given enough milk to enable Mr. Trullinger to sell \$45.40 worth to his various customers.

W. L. Robey, a near neighbor of Mr. Trullinger, has kept a record of the product of a fine Jersey cow which he owns, and since February 25 his cow has been able to churn 120 pound of butter, and this was done outside a liberal supply of milk and cream for family use.

## Plan Tent Show Next Week.

The Chase-Lister show will be held in Maryville all next week. Mr. Lister, the advance man for the show, was in Maryville today, making arrangements. The show ground will be the Keely lot, East Third street.

## FIX UP CEMETERY

COMPLETE WORK OF BEAUTIFYING OLD CITY BURIAL GROUND.

## MARKER TO PIONEERS

Daughters of American Revolution Will Place Boulder to Mark Unknown Graves.

The placing of a granite boulder to mark the graves of the unknown in the old city cemetery on East First street will complete a work which the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has done in reclaiming the cemetery grounds.

The burial ground is one of the landmarks of the city, the records showing the first burial to have been made in 1844. Since the early seventies the grounds have not been used.

The grounds have been leveled, driveways built, the graves restored, and the marking stones placed in concrete holders. This work was undertaken several months ago by the D. A. R. chapter, who went before the county court with the proposition and obtained the help of the judges in doing the work. The lot owners of the cemetery and the chapter members subscribed the money for a part of the work, and this fund was turned over to the county court to be used by them as judged necessary. The county law requires that the ground be kept always as a burying ground, and hereafter it will be kept in its present condition.

As soon as the necessary funds can be procured the D. A. R. chapter will place a granite boulder as a marker and complete the other improvements which are under discussion. The committee in charge of the work is composed of Mrs. Charles T. Bell, chairman; Mrs. E. G. Orser, Miss Katherine Helwig, Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mrs. D. J. Thomas and Mrs. G. L. Willey.

A number of the grave markers have crumbled away and the places are unmarked. The burial record, as shown by the stones left, is as follows:

Minnie Michau, daughter of Nannie and Alfred Michau. Born May 19, 1856. Died Sept. 14, 1857.

Isabel Michau, daughter of Alfred and Nannie. Born Aug. 20, 1854. Died Sept. 19, 1855.

Milton B. son of J. and E. Saunders. Died Aug. 9, 1859. Aged 2 months.

Emeline, daughter of John and Harriet Jackson. Born Dec. 23, 1844. Aged 1 month.

John H. son of John and Harriet Jackson. Born Jan. 23, 1846. Died Oct. 19, 1850.

John Ellsworth. Died Aug. 16, 1863. Aged 71 years.

Charles Ferris. Born Oct. 26, 1862. Died Oct. 6, 1863.

Ellen, daughter of A. and B. Coulter. Died Jan. 17, 18 9. Aged 21 years, 1 month.

Phillip, son of A. and F. H. Craven. Died Oct. 21, 1868. Aged 17 years, 6 months.

Frank Martin. Son of John and Mary Ann Schuler. Born Jan. 24, 1856. Died May 16, 1866.

Pauline Torrance. Born Dec. 7, 1850. Died Aug. 1, 1853.

Loyal B. Torrance. Born Feb. 24, 1810. Died Jan. 19, 1853.

James M. son of John and Margaret Allen. Died Sept. 29, 1865. Aged 20 years, 8 months.

Amanda, daughter of J. and E. Adair. Died Oct. 9, 1870. Aged 11 years, 10 months.

Perry and Annie Reynolds. Aged 1 year, 6 months. Died Nov. 28, 1863 and June 8, 1864.

Sophronia Torrance. Born July 30, 1811. Died March 14, 1856.

Ida May Torrance. Born May 14, 1856. Died March 28, 1858.

Ada M. Torrance. Born Feb. 28, 1858. Died Feb. 26, 1864.

Matilda A. Torrance. Born Sept. 7, 1826. Died Aug. 11, 1862.

Tommy, son of Elisha and Ellen Wheeler. Born Aug. 4, 1865. Died Dec. 30, 1866.

Jennie, wife of Ben Torrance. Died Jan. 7, 1868. Aged 27 years, 3 days.

Elizabeth Belleu. Born Sept. 3, 1867. Aged 58 years, 10 months.

Henry, son of A. and C. Allen. Died July 30, 1862. Aged 14 years, 4 months.

Benjamin Wheeler. Born Aug. 2, 1819. Died Feb. 3, 1864. Aged 44 years, 4 months.

Dr. Elias Albertson. Died Dec. 3, 1864. Aged 52 years, 8 months.

Jacob L. Jennings. Died Dec. 7, 1863. Aged 31 years, 10 months.

A. Allen. Died Jan. 17, 1869. Aged 21 years, 1 month.

Mary G. daughter of Dr. E. and H. Albertson. Died 1864. Aged 12 years, 10 months. (Continued on page 2.)

## RIVER ON USE; NO DANGER

Continued Rains Fill Streams—102 Half Bank Full—Storm Impairs Wire Service.

The continued rains of the last few days are causing the highest rise of the spring in the various rivers and streams of the county, though no danger is anticipated anywhere as a result. The 102 river at 3 o'clock this afternoon was nearly bank full at Hopkins, three-fourths full at Pickering and half bank full east of town. The rise is said to be slow at each place.

The river had not left the banks at any place and little drift was coming down so that little, if any, damage is expected. It is reported from Hopkins this afternoon however, that heavier rises in Southern Iowa, may place the 102 out of its banks later in the day or tonight there.

Some delay in train operation is being experienced over the Burlington, but that is mostly on account of a softened road bed and not any appreciable damage to the tracks.

The wind storm and lightning early this morning placed many of the rural telephone lines out of commission and service over the county and neighboring towns is considerably impaired. Slight trouble and delay also is being experienced over the telegraph lines.

The highways over the county are being washed somewhat by the rains and travel is difficult in some of the roads.

## TELLS OF WHITNEY'S SUICIDE

Local Resident, Left Note Before Drinking Acid, Giving Pin to "Ruth."

On account of the events leading up to and the death of W. H. Whitney, a traveling salesman of this city, who committed suicide in Excelsior Springs, Monday morning, is given in the Excelsior Springs Daily Call which throws some light on the case.

Mrs. Whitney, employed at the Excelsior store, who went there Monday, is expected to return home tonight or tomorrow morning. No arrangements relative to the funeral or burial of Mr. Whitney have been announced. The account in part is:

W. H. Whitney, a traveling salesman, committed suicide at a hotel in this city swallowing three ounces of carbolic acid.

Mr. Whitney arrived here Friday evening, representing the Richards & Conover Hardware Company, and after transacting some business matters Saturday, we understand stated that he believed he would remain over Sunday. It developed, however, that he may have contemplated suicide for in the meantime he purchased the acid from one of the local drug stores.

About 11 o'clock Sunday night parties across the hallway from the room occupied by Whitney heard a groan, followed by a heavy fall on the floor. An investigation and a hurried summons for Dr. O'Kell told the story and death followed two hours later.

Whitney resided at Maryville, Mo., where he has a wife. A brother from Omaha will arrive tomorrow morning.

Before swallowing the poison Whitney wrote a note to his wife, asking her forgiveness, and referred to a pin which he requested to be given "Ruth." He addressed his wife as "Dear Kate." The tone of his letter did not attach any of the blame to his wife, but said that it was all his fault.

Coroner Goodson was notified and an inquest was held. The evidence presented a clear case of suicide and the jury rendered its verdict accordingly.

## THEO. GWIN WILL FILED.

Skidmore Resident Left Horse and Safe to Son-in-Law—Is Administrator.

The will of Theodore Gwin, formerly a merchant of Skidmore, who died April 19, was filed in probate court today. A son-in-law, Jonas F. Brown, will be appointed administrator today by Probate Judge W. H. Conn.

The will, which was made in 1894, leaves a horse and safe to the son-in-law, one-half of the personal property to the daughter, Mrs. Brown, and the remainder of the estate to Mrs. Elizabeth Gwin, the widow.

Fort Worth, Texas, is constructing a municipal water reservoir to cover 8,500 acres of land and to contain 40,000,000 gallons of water.

## TEST WATER FROM SANDPOINT WELLS

STATE GEOLOGIST ASKED TO FIND MINERAL INGREDIENTS.

## MAY INSTALL AERATOR FOR TREATING SUPPLY

Aqua from Surface Pipes Now Furnishes Three-Fourths of City—Believe It Solves Drought Trouble.

A chemical test of the water taken from the sand point wells, established last summer and this spring by the board of public works for the municipal water plant is to be made this week to determine the mineral materials in the water. J. H. Martin, superintendent, is sending out two samples today.

One goes to George H. Buehler, state geologist at the State School of Mines, Rolla.

The other goes to Dr. Roy Cross, Kansas City, who recently made a bacteria test of the river water for the city.

Each sample contains nearly a gallon of the sand point water, without any change being made in aeration or purification. It is expected that the result of the chemical tests will be announced by next Monday.

Though few persons of Maryville would know it by mere taste or appearance of the water now being furnished by the city, about one-fourth is taken from the river and the remainder from the wells. The supply so far has proven adequate for all needs, Superintendent Martin said.

## Plan Aeration System.

If the supply holds out so well as it does now, and the quality of the fluid remains as good as at present, it is intended to continue the use of the wells indefinitely, especially so whenever the river supply gets low.

If this is done an aeration system will be installed at the plant to take the mineral properties from the sand point supply, it is announced. For the present a make-shift affair has been fitted up at the plant by Superintendent Martin and William Hooper, in charge.

It consists merely of a wide board placed almost level, on which the sand point water is allowed to fall some distance. In this way it is splashed about and subjected to the influences of the air, sun and light. This is said to insure the removal of at least part of the mineral properties. It contains considerable iron.

## RAINED 1.77 INCHES AT NOON.

Heavy, Steady Rain Was Preceded by Windstorm—Makes Roads Bad.

A rainfall of 1.77 inches had been recorded by J. R. Brink up to noon today from the time the present rain began early this morning. Of this amount 1.22 inches had fallen at 7 o'clock this morning, while .57 of an inch fell since that time up to 12 o'clock.

The rain was preceded by a windstorm of considerable volume and which blew some limbs from trees over the city. The heavy rains of the last few days also have placed the roads in bad condition over the county. Several of the smaller bridges are expected to go out as a result of the rains.

The temperature reading taken by Mr. Brink this morning showed a maximum of 88 degrees and a minimum of 60 degrees.

## Arrive From Trenton.

Miss Orzell Helwig returned last night from a week's visit with friends at Trenton. Miss Helwig was accompanied home by Miss Sadie Yates, Miss Sylvia Ratliff and Miss Eva Ratliff, teachers in the Trenton public schools, and Miss Bonnie Stewart of Laredo, Mo., all of whom will enter the State Normal school for the summer term. Miss Yates has been teaching several years at Trenton and resigned her work there this year to take the principalship of the public schools at Liberty, beginning her new work in September.

## THE WEATHER

Probably showers tonight and Thursday; somewhat cooler.

Fern Theatre, TONIGHT, 5 & 10c  
Keystone Comedy THE NOISE OF BOMBS  
Mary Fuller, in the Witch Girl. When Bess Got In Wrong, Universal Comedy with Al Crisin the funny man.

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A KEYSTONE COMEDY

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### Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

If it takes Italy as long to get out of the war as it took to get in we will have it on our hands another year.

It looks like we all might have to ride in automobiles if this European war continues much longer. England has bought through the St. Louis markets 30,000 horses and has a standing order for 1,200 per week. France has in an order for 20,000 and Italy has bought 19,500. If this rate is kept up autos will be more common than horses, and the old family nag will regain lost prestige.

There is a new Richmond in the Democratic gubernatorial field. Judge Alonzo D. Burnes of Platte City has appeared as a candidate in prospect. Judge Burnes has been judge of the fifth, or St. Joseph, district for many years and is a strong man mentally and politically. His prominence in the affairs of western Missouri will, without doubt, make him a strong competitor for the nomination.

### "THE FAITH OF THE JOURNALIST."

From the St. Joseph Gazette.  
The journalist's faith must be in God and man. Faith in God naturally and inevitably leads to faith in man. Faith in man, if complete, must as unflinchingly go farther—reach out until it encounters somewhere the divine in spirit and in truth. So the two goals of faith are in fact but one—they are reached together.  
"We speak—we who have experience in that field of endeavor—of the charm of newspaper work. It is something which enchains. The true newspaper writer seldom gets away from it, and never does so willingly. Always the call to return is in his ears. Perhaps—doubtless, we should say—it is because of the faith within him—this faith in man and in man's God, moving him consciously or unconsciously to toll on in what is so undeniably the work of the world.

Newspapers are of quite recent invention. But the newspaper spirit—the longing to record, to proclaim, to illumine the world with, the deeds of humanity—is as old as the race itself.

## California Expositions

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### HOLD SHINABARGER RITES.

Body Arrives from St. Joseph at Noon Today—Funeral This Afternoon.

The body of Mrs. Charles W. Shinabargar, who died Monday at the family home in St. Joseph, was brought to Maryville for burial, arriving at noon today. The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock at the Buchanan Street Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. John H. Hubbard. The burial was made in Miriam cemetery.

The body was accompanied to Maryville by Mr. Shinabargar and the three children of the family, Leroy, Cleo and Roena, and Mrs. Shinabargar's mother, Mrs. E. J. Dempsey. Mrs. Shinabargar was also survived by two brothers and two sisters. They are George Dempsey of Fowler, Colo.; Mrs. Emma Springer of Linwood, Kan.; Mrs. Jesse Hull and Frank Dempsey of this city.

### To Attend Convention.

Mrs. M. D. Kemp and Mrs. Roy Pettit left yesterday for Worth, Mo., to attend the district convention of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church, in session there Tuesday and Wednesday. They will represent the society of the First Methodist church.

A commission city manager plan of government for Salem, Ore., with a perpetual tax levy limit for general purposes of not over 10 mills and a prohibition against overdrawing accounts has been recommended by a committee selected by the mayor.

Portland is making war on its unsightly vacant lots where weeds have been growing and rubbish dumped, by turning them over to its school children to be utilized in their agricultural education.

### Brought to Hospital.

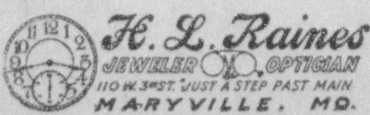
The young son of Albert Neidel, living north of Maryville, was brought to St. Francis hospital this morning and will be operated on for appendicitis.

### Employed at Chillicothe.

Ray Farrar left last night for Chillicothe, where he will be employed by a plumbing company. Mrs. Farrar will go to Chillicothe tomorrow.

## My Optical Parlor

Has been recently fitted with new furnishings and I am better prepared than ever to make the testing of your eyes a pleasure to you. The very best authorities recommend the system for testing I use. Come in.



## EXPERT ADVICE FOR AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

How often should graphite be used as a lubricant for springs? Would the paste or stick stove polish do if mixed with gasoline?

No rule can be given for this. Apply the graphite whenever it is found to be required. This may be only once a year, and then again it may be often. The object in using a lubricant between the spring leaves is to prevent squeaking, rusting and to cut down the friction. No great harm will be done if the car is used until the lubricant is exhausted. In fact, we would advise operating the car until it is noticed that a new application of graphite is required. Stove polish will not do. You should use flake or powder graphite. Your suggestion as to using gasoline brings up an interesting point. It is slightly preferable to mix the graphite with gasoline because after the paste is applied to the spring surfaces the fuel evaporates and leaves the dry graphite, which acts as a lubricant, yet there is no grease or oil to ooze out between the leaves to catch the dust and give the springs a dirty appearance.

In painting my radiator, head lights and other brass parts of my car black what can I use that will stand the heat of the lamps and radiator?

The simplest method of preparing a black varnish for brass is to fuse three pounds of asphaltum, and after it has been melted add one-half pound of shellac and one gallon of oil of turpentine.

In running less than a mile the water in my car becomes steaming hot and boils if I go very far. The cylinders are clean and timing correct. There is no stoppage. Can you suggest a remedy?

If the timing is correct and the water passages free there is no reason why the water should boil unless the mixture is too rich or the cylinders are carbonized. Examine the timing and the carburetor adjustment once more, then inspect the cylinders to see whether they are carbonized and look at the passages to see that they are not clogged. Even if the radiator is free from obstructions and the hose connections are clear there may be dirt or sand in the water jackets. Lastly, make sure that water is not being lost either by leakage or by flowing out through the radiator vent pipe. Sometimes the vent opening is placed low, with the result that the water splashes out until enough has been lost to prevent proper cooling. To keep the water from boiling the radiator must be full or nearly so at all times. A short age of water reduces the amount of cooling, and when the level of water drops below the top of the return connection to the radiator circulation stops entirely.

What is the best means of doing away with the vibration caused by my engine when making more than twenty miles per hour? It has always done this. The car and engine are in good condition except for the vibration. The car has been equipped with airless tires.

The vibration can be minimized by balancing the reciprocating parts carefully. Remove the pistons and connecting rods. Weigh the four pistons and remove the metal from the heavier three until they weigh exactly the same as the lightest one. Do the same with the connecting rods. In addition, if the pistons are of exceptionally heavy construction it may be possible to remove some excess material from all of them, thereby reducing the weight and vibration. The same may be said of the connecting rods.

What is the best way to strengthen the engine bed? I find that the motor rocks violently when pulling hard. The bolts holding it to the bed are tight and the bed vibrates with it.

It is next to impossible to strengthen the engine bed without putting in a new crank case. Possibly your trouble is due to allowing the motor to pull too hard. When it begins to labor on a hill shift to low gear. Do not strain the motor by allowing it to work under these conditions.

The center bolt in my rear spring breaks frequently. How can I prevent this?

The only possible explanation seems to be that you allow this bolt to come loose, or when you put in a new one you do not tighten it sufficiently. Use a lock washer to hold the nut from turning and, in addition, see that the spring clips are kept tight, because if these work loose an additional strain is placed on the center bolt.

The front cylinder in my car gets too much oil. It works well when it has a clean plug, but after running about one hundred miles it misses. What is the cause of the oily cylinder?

The trouble is undoubtedly due to a worn cylinder piston or rings or to the openings in the three rings being in alignment. An inspection of this cylinder should show where the trouble is, and if the piston or rings are worn they should be replaced. The missing, of course, is due to the plug becoming fouled with oil.

"The city of New Orleans is perfectly safe and healthy." This is the gist of a recent report of the United States surgeon general.

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## FIX UP CEMETERY

(Continued from page 1.)

1 month.  
Josephine, wife of A. Wendle, daughter of Dr. E. and H. Albertson. Died Oct. 20, 1865. Aged 24 years.  
Maggie J., wife of J. E. Bell. Died Oct. 27, 1870. Aged 25 years, 7 months.  
Hanna Allen. Died March 27, 1864. Aged 48 years, 1 month.

Robert, son of J. and S. Million. Died June 6, 1868. Aged 7 years, 10 months.

Maria E. Million. Born Oct. 28, 1862. Died Jan. 27, 1868.

Sarah J. Million. Born Dec. 19, 1832. Died Feb. 1, 1870. Aged 37 years, 1 month.

Abraham Collett, Sr. Died Sept. 30, 1859. Aged 77 years, 4 months.

Laurinda G., wife of Abraham Collett. Died July 29, 1859. Aged 24 years, 15 days.

Jane, wife of Anthony L. Becket. Died Sept. 15, 1865. Aged 32 years, 4 months.

Oliver N., son of Thomas and Helen Kelly. Died Sept. 29, 1857. Aged 8 months.

John A. Million. Born April 23, 1830. Died May 1, 1862.

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Maybelle, daughter of A. T. and S. H. Jenkins. Born June 22, 1859. Died March 15, 1862.

George, son of A. T. and S. H. Jenkins. Born May 30, 1861. Died April 16, 1862.

Willie, son of S. H. and A. T. Jenkins. Died Dec. 23, 1862. Aged 6 years, 2 months.

Olivia, wife of David Yelsley. Died Aug. 28, 1865. Aged 33 years, 11 months.

Charles Baker. Died Aug. 28, 1853.

Willis, son of A. and E. Betts. Died Aug. 21, 1855. Aged 1 year, 9 months.

Sallie, wife of Henry McNeal, daughter of John and A. B. Maddy. Died April 23, 1859. Aged 61 years, 9 months.

Henry McNeal. Died Dec. 31, 1869. Aged 67 years, 26 days.

Rowley R., son of Francis M. and Parthena Charles. Died Sept. 7, 1864. Aged 6 years, 7 months.

I. N. Castillo. Died December 20, 1858. Aged 28 years, 9 days.

Malinda C. Castillo, infant daughter of I. N. Castillo.

Isaac T. Doyle. Died April 27, 1856. Aged 2 years, 2 months, 8 days.

Catherine Zwilling. Born September 25, 1825. Died August 4, 1866. Aged 40 years, 10 months, 10 days.

Garland, son of George W. and Eliza Beth Ford. Died March 2, 1864. Aged 24 years, 1 month, 26 days.

Angeline, wife of H. H. Ware and daughter of J. E. and Mary A. Alexander. Died May 7, 1864. Aged 20 years, 2 months, 16 days.

Jane B., wife of Jole Griffith. Died August 29, 1864. Aged 54 years.

Charles E., infant son of P. and E. M. Allen. Died March 15, 1864. Aged 1 year, 27 days.

Lura May, daughter of A. T. and E. L. Stephenson. Died September 24, 1862. Aged 1 year, 1 month, 23 days.

Perry, son of Elisha and Ellen Wheeler. Born November 7, 1867. Died December 15, 1868.

Harry G., son of Thomas C. and Mary E. Johnson. Died December 29, 1867. Aged 1 year, 2 months, 23 days.

Hugh Thomas McKee. Died January 9, 1866. Aged 20 years, 7 months, 27 days.

Emily A., daughter of J. and M. Gartin. Died April 4, 1862. Aged 18 years, 7 months, 24 days.

### To Visit at Garner.

Mrs. V. P. Casperson and daughter, living north of Maryville, left yesterday for a ten days' visit with relatives at Garner, Ia.

### Insurance at Lowest Cost.

It goes without saying that you want to save money on insurance as well as anything else. This can surely be done in the Missouri Mutual Insurance company of Rock Port.

In the department insuring buildings and contents there was no assessment last year, the policy holders thus not having one cent to pay.

In the department insuring automobiles, insurance has been furnished for one-third of the old line rate.

In the tornado company (the oldest company of the kind in the state) there has been no assessment since April 1st, 1913, and only thirteen assessments in twenty-five years.

In the hail insurance company, which insures crops of growing grain against loss or damage by hailstorm, there has been no assessment in seven years.

Can these records for insurance at low cost be beaten?

Agents for these companies are doing a good business, but more agents are wanted—in every town in Missouri where the companies are not already represented. For agencies write

H. F. STAPEL, Secretary,  
Rock Port, Mo.

## HOW TO GROW 100-BU. CORN

Grant Gates, Ravenwood, Explains How He Made Record, Prize Getting Yield.

The "how" and the "why" of 100-bushel corn growing, which he did and more too, and got prizes and glory thereby, is explained in the latest issue of the Missouri Ruralist by Grant Gates, son of John Gates, near Ravenwood, just 21 years old. Both he and his brother Arthur won "first" in the state corn contest last fall.

It might incidentally be mentioned that the Gates boys had some advantages in growing their 110-bushel-to-an-acre corn, that all boy farm enthusiasts might not have. The Gates farm is located in the Platte river valley, consequently has deep, rich soil and subsoil. The ground slopes just enough to drain nicely, and is protected by a fringe of timber to temper both the cold and hot winds. But above all that the Gates boys gave their crop careful attention, got a seed bed to start with, then a good stand and cultivated it well. This is how Grant himself says he tended his crop:

The first thing to be considered in raising show corn or corn for a large yield is the seed. It must be gathered in the fall before frost. Heavy frosts spoil the high percentage of germination of the kernels. I always gather about twice as much seed as I want to plant and in the spring it is tested. Seed testing the best is used on my seed plot and the remainder that tests high enough is planted first. Enough is saved to provide for a second planting if it becomes necessary. I saved about 150 bushels of seed from my acre yield, and from my brother's high yielding acre last year.

After the seed problem is settled the next thing that comes is the preparation of the seedbed for the corn. This commences as soon as the frost is out of the ground and it is dry enough. I disked the stalks on my acre plot as soon as possible, disking it twice the way it was planted, then crossed the field the other way. I had the stalks cut up fine and well mixed with the soil so a good job of plowing was possible. I plowed the ground about the middle of April, plowing it about 7 inches deep. As soon as it was plowed I harrowed it, then let it stand till it was ready to plant, then harrowed it again. The corn was planted the early part of May. It was planted with a 2-row planter using the disk furrow openers. This made a small furrow, which I think is much better than drilling on top of the ground as the corn stands up much better. As soon as the corn commenced coming up I harrowed it then rolled it, and in a short time harrowed it again.

I gave my corn three cultivations. The first time I plowed it deep, throwing the dirt away from the corn; the next time I plowed as much dirt up to it as it would stand, and the last cultivation was shallow. After the corn was "laid by" I hoed out the remaining weeds. As last year was extra dry the corn sucked badly so I went through and pulled all of the suckers off. I believe this had a great deal to do with the increased production.

From my measured acre I gathered 110 bushels and 45 pounds of sound corn. Figuring my work and expenses I made a profit of \$65, counting the corn at market price, although I had about 50 bushels of seed corn selected from this acre which I sold for \$3 and \$5 a bushel, so I find it profitable to raise acre plots for show as well as for commercial purposes. My winning the sweepstake acre yield last year was not an accident. I won second largest acre yield in 1913 and have been growing special plots for a number of years. I have increased the yield every year. I always select as much seed from the special plot as possible. I believe corn is just like live stock. Select seed from high yielding corn, just as you would live stock from thrifty, well producing ancestors, and if you keep improving the seed you are bound to get better results.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## SUIT SALE

The way we are selling our Suits now—You can afford to buy an extra one.

# Haines

THE STORE THAT IS ANXIOUS TO PLEASE

### 15,000 PICK MISSOURI BERRIES.

Southern Missouri Fields Now Being Harvested—Good Prices Prevail.

The harvesting of southern Missouri's \$500,000 strawberry crop is in full blast this week and is requiring an army of pickers estimated at 15,000 men, women and children. Entire families are finding profitable employment in the berry fields.

Though hundreds of men are following the harvest northward from the Arkansas fields, a majority of the pickers are working in their own communities and most of the money paid to them by the growers is remaining at home.

Northwest Arkansas strawberries practically are off the market, so far as car load shipments are concerned, except from the fields near the Missouri line. The Arkansas berries were about two weeks earlier than the Missouri crop. Through the aid of the United States department of agriculture and the departments of development of the railroads, markets have been found for all carload shipments and prices received by the shippers compared well with those of former years. For several days special strawberry trains have been operated out of VanBuren, Ark., to Kansas City and St. Louis each evening.

Recently heavy rains have caused considerable damage to the berries, the continued wet weather interfering

with picking operations and resulting in great quantities of the fruit rotting on the ground. However, this is the only damage the growers have faced this season and the loss will not be great, considering the size of the crop and the prices that are being realized for the best quality.

When People Ask Us what is good for nerves and lost weight, we always recommend

**Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion**  
containing Hypophosphites  
a food tonic and tissue builder.

Greer-Henry Drug Co.

Arrives from Jefferson City.  
Mrs. W. R. Hall of Jefferson City arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hall.

## Banquet at the Colored Baptist Church

Friday, May 28th  
SUPPER 6 O'CLOCK

### MENU

Press Chicken Suet-flake Potatoes  
Hot Biscuits Salads  
Coffee  
Ice Cream Strawberries Cake

PRICE 25C EVERYBODY INVITED

## THE BANK FOR ALL THE PEOPLE

INDIVIDUAL SERVICE  
TO FIT YOUR NEEDS

### THE DUTY OF A DOLLAR

EVERY dollar has a duty to perform. If it does not work for you it will work for some one else.

It is hunting for a home, a place where it can work quietly without being traded, or sold out to some one.

The chances are that thousands of dollars that were once yours are now producing a good income for the person who was wise enough to hold on to them. This bank will help you hold on to your money.

**Farmers Trust Co.**  
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Capital \$200,000.00

SAFETY · COURTESY · SERVICE

## Half Price Sale on Millinery

CLEARING SALE OF TRIMMED HATS: These are real bargains and you cannot afford to miss this opportunity.

Fisk, Grace, Corona and King Bee  
Pattern Hats all included in this sale.

Reductions on Untrimmed Shapes and Flowers

WASH HATS JUST RECEIVED  
at 75 cents to \$2.00

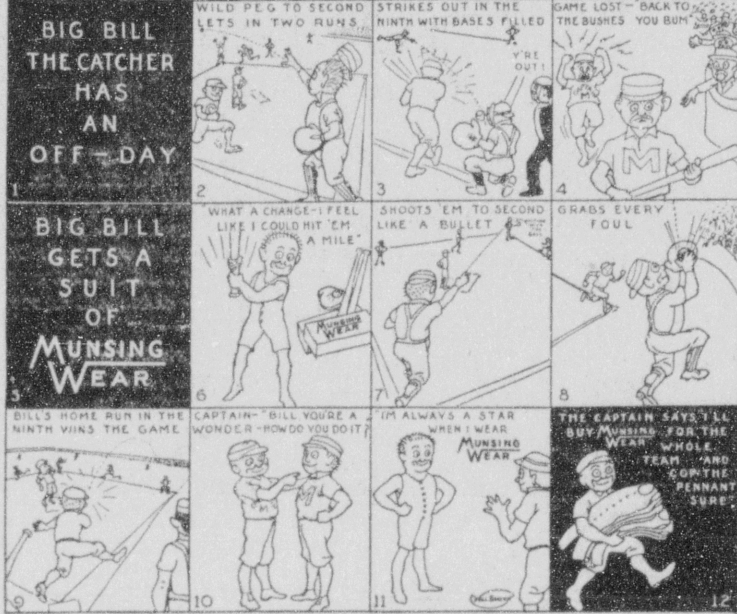
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**E. ASHFORD & COMPANY**  
206 NORTH MAIN STREET





## MUNSLING MOVIES



All Styles, All Sizes, from \$1.00 up

Berney Harris

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

## CHICAGO.

Cattle—13,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 3,500.  
Hogs—26,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.70. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.  
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

## KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—4,000. Market strong.  
Hogs—10,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.55.  
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

## ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.  
Hogs—5,000. Market strong; top, \$7.50.  
Sheep—1,500. Market steady.

## To Attend Normal.

Miss Anna Roberts of Laredo, and Miss Ella Moore of Pattonsburg, arrived in Maryville today to attend the State Normal summer term.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## Mrs. Morgan Improving.

Mrs. W. N. Morgan of Parnell, who has been at the German hospital in Kansas City for several weeks convalescing from an operation which she underwent, is improving and was taken to her home yesterday.

## Watch Your Children

Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Rexall Orderlies—a mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

## Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Greater New York is made up of the five boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, Bronx and Richmond. These boroughs, together, constitute the "City of New York," and make the municipality that is presided over at the present time by Mayor Mitchell.

Miss Rose Schumacher, who has been spending a few days at Burlington Junction, the guest of Miss Annie Walker, will return home tonight.

## GAS CLOUD ROUTS BRITISH

Fumes Used by Germans on Front of Over Five Miles.

London, May 26.—A report received from Field Marshal Sir John French says:

"Some portions of our line east of Ypres, which were lost during the enemy's gas attack, have not yet been recovered. The amount of gas used was greater than on any previous occasion—over a front of five miles.

"The gas was emitted from cylinders throughout a period of four and a half hours, and at the same time our line was bombarded with asphyxiating shells. The gas cloud rose in places forty feet high from the ground.

"Portions of the line remained intact throughout the ordeal, and our men have demonstrated that, with due precautions, this form of attack can be met and defeated."

## U. S. TO EXTEND CREDIT

Hamlin Delivers Address Before Pan-American Conference.

Washington, May 26.—Governor Hamlin of the federal reserve board told the pan-American financial conference that the United States never before was in the position it occupied today to extend its trade by granting credit to those nations which wish to be its customers.

This conference was declared by the governor to be an event of deep significance to the whole civilized world.

## Answer of Kaiser Delayed.

Washington, May 26.—President Wilson told callers he did not know causes for the delay of the German reply to the American note on the Lusitania, but he presumed the German government was for the moment absorbed in the new circumstances arising out of Italy's entrance into the war. The German embassy here has made suggestions to the German foreign office for the reply and in German quarters it is said the note will be of a character to satisfy American public opinion.

## Marvelous Exhibits at Panama Exposition

## Radium Used to Promote Plant Growth.

Some of the remarkable properties of radium are being demonstrated by an exhibitor in the Liberal Arts building at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, in connection with a new invention making possible the radiolysis of water for medicinal purposes.

Demonstrating the power of this mineral promoting metabolism a number of young plants, some existing with and some without the aid of radium, are shown. Those in the radiolysis soils are seen to be growing much more rapidly than those in common soil, and to have a more healthy appearance.

This inventor has found a process of impregnating terra cotta bricks with radium-bearing minerals, and these small bricks placed in water are said to give it remarkable curative properties. The porous bricks last almost indefinitely, losing only half their potency, it is estimated, in 1,800 years. Since the discovery of this mineral it has been found that many celebrated waters, as Carlsbad and Baden Baden, owe their health-giving properties to radium. The inventor claims that his process produces in ordinary waters the qualities of these famous springs.

The radium ore used in the manufacture of radioactive terra cotta is known as carnotite, a formation found mainly in Colorado and Utah, and now producing three-fourths of the world's radium. The European mineral, known as pitchblende, from which the famous European springs are impregnated, is also displayed.

## Most Rapid Photographs Ever Taken.

The most remarkable set of speed photographs ever taken are a part of the war department's exhibit in Machinery Hall at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco. They are pictures of a shell from a 12-inch coast defense gun in flight, the set including the various phases of the flight beginning just as the great projectile pokes its nose out of the muzzle of the gun.

The pictures were taken with a lens having an exposure period of one five-thousandth of a second, this being the fastest shutter ever manufactured. The exposure at the proper time was made by breaking an electric circuit in a wire stretched across the trajectory at the desired point and connecting with the shutter.

One picture shows the shell half-way out of the muzzle before any smoke and gas has escaped. Another was taken when the shell was two feet from the muzzle but hidden by a heavy ring of smoke. A third shows the shell in flight a hundred feet from the muzzle. The photographs are so perfect and the exposure so rapid that scarcely any blur is perceptible. They were taken at Fort Monroe, Va., under the direction of Capt. F. J. Behl of the coast artillery corps and head of the department of enlisted specialists at the Coast Artillery school at Fort Monroe.

It cost Chicago \$6,985,904 to arrest 116,985 persons in the year 1914. More arrests were made than in any previous year.

## SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK  
Phones—Office 42 Home 685

## Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cornell of East Second street gave a dinner party Sunday, at which they entertained Mrs. H. A. Webb, Mrs. Peter Cornell and Ray Cornell of Burlington Junction.

## Farewell Dinner Party.

Mrs. C. R. Benight, Miss Cecile Benight, Curtis Benight and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ford were guests of a dinner party given last night by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr. The Benights leave tomorrow for Colorado to make their home for the coming year. In their honor a number of dinners and other social affairs have been given the past week.

## Mrs. Embree Gives Dinner.

Mrs. J. V. Embree gave a dinner party Monday at her country home, southwest of the city, at which her guests were Mrs. C. R. Haudenschild of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. D. O. Mills of Chicago, both of whom are house guests of Mrs. Embree; the Rev. C. H. John of Siloam Springs, Ark., and the Rev. G. S. Cox.

## Complimentary to Miss Benight.

Miss Allie Jean Fraser entertained the members of the Bridges club with an informal afternoon tea at her home, Third street, this afternoon as a farewell courtesy for Miss Cecile Benight, one of the club members, who leaves tomorrow for Colorado to enter the Colorado state university at Boulder for the coming term. Miss Fraser's guests were Miss Benight, Mrs. Dale Bellows, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Miss May Growney, Miss Marie Wells and Miss Glen Hotchkiss.

## Reception at Barnard.

Miss Kate Moss of Kansas City was the honor guest of a reception given Saturday afternoon at the home of the Rev. J. L. Bilby, pastor of the Methodist church of Barnard, and Mrs. Bilby. At the conclusion of the social hour a Women's Missionary society was organized under the direction of Miss Moss, who is a state worker for the Methodist organization. Miss Moss spoke at the Methodist church at Barnard Sunday morning and evening.

## Birthday Celebration.

A pleasant day was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis King, living near Clyde, when a large party of friends gathered to celebrate Mr. King's birthday anniversary. A picnic dinner was served at noon and the afternoon spent with various games and music. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis King, Mr. and Mrs. Leo King, Mrs. Regina King, Mrs. Bridget Maher and daughter, Katie, of Fulton, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kern, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cooper, Mrs. Ruth McQuinn, Mrs. Albert Hengeler, Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, Misses Clotilda and Margaret King, Maggie, Stephanie and Marie Steinhauer, Barbara Kern, Mary Meyer, Elizabeth and Anna Schwebach, Marie Durbin, Marie and Josephine Hengeler, Maggie and Elizabeth Cunningham, Hazel Cooper.

## Treat Children's Colds Externally

Don't dose delicate little stomachs with harmful internal medicines. Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Salve, applied externally, relieves by inhalation as a vapor and by absorption through the skin. Vick's can be used freely with perfect safety on the youngest member of the family. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

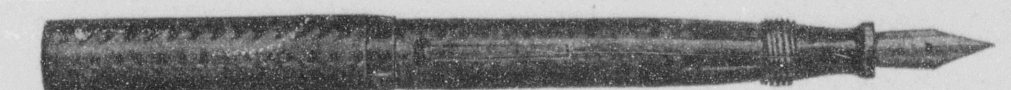
VICK'S "VAPORUB" SALVE



Let us supply you with "Bob-o-links" for your Friendship Bracelet. Sterling Silver and Gold Filled "Bob-o-links" cost only 25c each, engraving included—and we give you free a velvet wrist-ribbon for your first "Bob-o-link." Call today and see the "Bob-o-links."

Genuine "Bob-o-links" are for sale by  
**H. T. CRANE**  
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

## THE PEN YOU WILL EVENTUALLY USE

SHEAFFER'S  
SELF-FILLING FOUNTAIN PEN

NON-LEAKABLE

DeHart & Holmes  
"Maryville's Live Jeweler"  
Maryville Missouri

SELF-CLEANING

## WHO OWNS MISSOURI LANDS?

Professor of Law at University of Missouri Says Land Holder Is Tenant of State.

Does a Missouri farmer really own his own land? If he holds a clear title, does the law look upon him as the owner of the land, or does it look upon the state as the owner and the farmer as the tenant? These questions are treated in a recent bulletin upon "Land Tenure and Conveyances in Missouri," by Manley O. Hudson, professor of law at the University of Missouri at Columbia. Professor Hudson gives a history of land ownership in Missouri, concluding that no land in Missouri is really owned except by the state, and that a person holding a title to a farm is really a tenant of the state.

Several hundred years ago in England, the king owned all land, ownership of land being a royal prerogative. The king parcelled out his land to his subjects who held it by what was known as tenure. The tenure sometimes rendered military service to the owner or lord, and sometimes only agricultural service. This system of land holding still prevails in legal theory in England.

A similar situation existed in the American colonies under British dominion, and it is the accepted view that all land was held in tenure prior to the American Revolution. This system of landholding was not changed by the Revolution except that the respective states were substituted for the British crown as overlords.

In the territory acquired by the Louisiana Purchase this problem of legal theory is not so easily solved. The territory which is now Missouri

was owned by France prior to 1762, by Spain between 1762 and 1802, again by France from 1802 to 1803, when it was ceded to the United States. Professor Hudson concludes that during these various periods the land was upheld by the French and Spanish crowns respectively. He traces the history of the Spanish law which prevailed in Missouri until 1815 and shows that it includes a system of land tenure somewhat similar to that which prevailed in England.

The legislature of Missouri abolished the Spanish law in 1816 and substituted the so-called common law of England. By the common law of England, as is shown above, land was held of the crown. Mr. Hudson concludes, therefore, that land in Missouri today is really owned by the state and held by the person who has the title, either because of the system of tenure in the Spanish law or because of the adoption of the common law of England in 1816.

Mr. Hudson says that the courts and lawyers seem to have assumed, without much discussion of the subject, that tenure did not find its way into Missouri law. His conclusion shows that in many respects our law is still based on medieval conceptions. Many states have by constitutional amendment or legislative enactment abolished this feudal conception of land tenure and Professor Hudson believes if his conclusion is right, the law in Missouri should be changed by a constitutional amendment which would declare that land can really be owned by the person who has the title.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## VIOLIN OUTFIT FREE!

Our new teacher of violin, Miss Callie Thompson, will begin with us this week. To those who register before June 10 and pay for 20 lessons in advance, \$15.00, we will give a good violin outfit free. Come to the school and ask to see this violin. The outfit we sell without the lessons for \$12.

## Maryville Conservatory of Music

## What Do You Need in Men's Furnishings?

## Union Suits

Cooper Athletic Suits, Imperial Underwear.

Our 50 cent Union Suits compare favorably with others selling at \$1.00.

## SHOES

For The Men \$2.00 to \$4.00  
For The Boys \$1.50 to \$2.00

## Manhattan Shirts

None better than these. Other brands of Nationally known Shirts. What ever you want in the Shirt line we can show you.

## TIES

The very latest and newest. Extra values in this line. Conservative designs and others for the young fellows.

We are sure you can find what you want in this line from our complete stock.

M. NUSBAUM

## Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today

Deposits of One Dollar and upwards Received in our Savings Department.

Interest Paid Twice A Year

Oldest Bank in The County

**NODAWAY VALLEY BANK**  
A BANK FOR SAVINGS  
MARYVILLE — MISSOURI

4%  
ON  
SAVINGS  
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## WANT ADS

**For Results.** For Results. Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

## For Rent.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without board. 210 East Thompson. Hanama phone 5153. 26-28

FOR RENT—Several nice rooms for young men students. 121 South Main. Hanama 44. 26-28

FOR RENT—Pasture one mile north of Maryville, \$2 head. A. C. Gann, East Fourth street. 24-26

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms over Alderman-Yehes. See Roseberry & Frank. 25-27

FOR RENT—75 acres pasture, 5 miles southwest of Hopkins. Phone or write T. L. Wilderman's garage. 22-27

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms roomers or light housekeeping. Everything convenient. Mrs. Dinsmore, 207 South Buchanan. 24-26

FOR RENT—To small family, 5-room apartment with bath, sleeping porch, laundry attachment, strictly modern, both well and city water, \$16 per month. Charles Hyslop. 14-16

FOR RENT—8-room modern residence at 222 East Sixth. Possession June 1. See Real Estate bank or address E. S. Cook, Jefferson, Gravois and Sidney Sts., St. Louis, Mo. 15-17

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 922 East Second, very reasonable. See Dossa Cox Miller at dressmaking rooms, or phone 3489. 24-26

## Miscellaneous.

WANTED—16-year-old boy wants a position on farm. Call Aaron Felix at Berney Harris store. 26-28

The rummage sale which was to have been held tomorrow in the basement of the First Methodist church has been postponed until Wednesday of next week. 26

SPOUTING, valleys and tin roofs laid by Hall's new tinners. 25-27

WANTED—100 automobiles and buggies to paint. Harman Auto Co. 6-6

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co. 25-27

You can have your old carpets made into nice rugs at a moderate cost. Jos. Cornell, Hanama phone 144. 26-28

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. R. E. Thomas, both phones. 25-27

WANTED—All kinds of tinners' work for our new tinners, at Hall's hardware. 25-27

## For Sale.

FOR SALE—McCormick mower, almost new. See Shube Woodard or Dug Phillips. 26-28

FOR SALE—Extra good corn at 80c a bushel, delivered. Hanama phone 3698. Saunders Bros. 11

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Overland automobile, 1913 model. See A. W. Hawkins. 22-28

FOR SALE—International auto delivery wagon cheap. Remus store. 25-28

## Lost.

LOST—White poodle dog, very thin, with short hair. Reward. Return to 219 West Second. 24-26

The federal census five years ago gave Des Moines, Ia., a population of 36,398. The claim is now made that it has passed the 100,000 mark.

**CHARLES E. STILWELL, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.** Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

**CONKLIN & TINDALL, COMPETENT PLUMBERS AND STEAM FITTERS.** Satisfaction Guaranteed. Always awake. 208 West Third Street. Hanama phone 832.

## The Hamiltonian Stallion

Gladstone record 2:10 and Egozelle, one of the best bred ones in the state, will make the season at the Fair Grounds, Maryville, Missouri.

**J. L. SCOTT, Owner**

## Advertised Articles

By Bert M. Moses

President Association of American Advertisers.

Nearly always an advertised article is better than a similar thing not advertised.

And a store that advertises nearly always renders a more satisfactory service than one which doesn't.

Advertising of itself doesn't make an article more worthy or make a store better, but it establishes a reputation that must be maintained, and the only way to maintain a reputation is to be worthy of it.

When a man establishes a good trade by advertising he isn't going to lose that trade by rendering an unsatisfactory service.

He is going to hold the business that advertising has created by making the articles he sells so good that they will please the folks who buy them and induce them to buy more.

The man who does a small business with products that are unknown has little to lose, and so he isn't so very particular whether his customers are satisfied or not.

When you see the advertising of anything appear year after year you may be sure the articles advertised are worthy.

Advertising costs money, and the only way to pay advertising bills is to advertise something that will produce enough trade to supply the money.

You often hear people say:

"I wonder if so-and-so is any good? I have seen it advertised so much in the newspapers."

Of course it's good, because the continued advertising of bad things is as impossible as the continued running of an automobile without gasoline.

The fellow who used to come along with propositions and endeavor to "clean up" by flashy advertising in a day or week is in hard lines in this year 1915.

Good newspapers will not accept such advertising and his effort to collect coin without giving fair return is as difficult as winning a baseball championship with a team that can't hit the ball and is weak in the box.—From the University Missourian.

## PRINCESS CECILIE.

Patriotism Draws Her to Native Country, Says Report; May Leave German Heir.



Photo by American Press Association

## ITALY BUYS U. S. HORSES

Completes Purchase of 11,500, While France Acquires 20,000.

East St. Louis, Ill., May 26.—Representatives of Italy completed the purchase of 11,500 horses. They previously had bought 8,000.

Agents of the French government also began filling an order for 20,000 horses. This is the largest single order received in the United States since the European war began. France already has bought 30,000 horses at this market.

The British agents have bought 30,000 horses, but they have a standing order for 1200 a week.

Fifty Crown as Ship Goes to Bottom. Santiago, May 26.—Fifty persons were drowned when the Chilean steamer Maximiliano Errazuriz struck a reef and sank.

## STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League		American League	
W. L.	P.	W. L.	P.
Phila.	18 11 621	Chicago	23 12 657
Chicago	20 13 698	Detroit	22 13 629
Brooklyn	15 15 509	New York	17 13 557
St. Louis	16 17 485	Boston	13 14 481
Boston	15 16 484	Washington	14 16 467
Pittsburgh	15 16 484	Cleveland	18 19 495
Cincinnati	12 17 441	St. Louis	14 20 412
New York	11 17 382	Phila.	12 21 364
Federal League		American Ass'n.	
W. L.	P.	W. L.	P.
Pittsburgh	21 13 618	Ind.apolis	21 12 536
Chicago	21 14 618	Minneapolis	18 15 563
Kan. City	19 15 543	Kan. City	18 15 563
Newark	19 15 543	Louisville	18 15 545
St. Louis	16 15 516	St. Paul	16 16 500
Brooklyn	16 16 500	Cleveland	14 17 452
Baltimore	13 21 382	Minneapolis	12 16 429
Buffalo	10 24 294	Columbus	12 21 364
Western League		W. L. P.	
W. L.	P.	W. L.	P.
D. Moines	18 11 621	Denver	14 11 440
Topeka	16 11 593	Lincoln	10 14 417
Omaha	16 11 593	Soo City	11 17 393
St. Joe	13 13 599	Wichita	16 16 356

## BASEBALL RESULTS

National League		R. H. E.	
At Philadelphia	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 2
Philadelphia	.....	0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0	3 6 1
Standridge and Bresnahan; Alexander and Kilmer.			
At New York		R. H. E.	
St. Louis	.....	0 0 0 0 0 2 7 0 1	14 14 3
New York	.....	0 0 1 0 0 3 0 0 1	5 16 3
Doak-Snyder; Tesreau-Smith.			
At Boston		R. H. E.	
Cincinnati	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	1 7 2
Boston	.....	0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1	3 9 1
Benton-Poolin; Rudolph-Gowdy.			
At Brooklyn		R. H. E.	
Pittsburgh	.....	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1 10 1
Brooklyn	.....	0 0 2 2 0 0 0 1	5 11 0
Harmon-Schang; Pfeffer-McCarthy.			
American League		R. H. E.	
At Detroit	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 6	8 11 1
Washington	.....	1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0	4 13 1
Detroit	.....	1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0	4 13 1
Gallia-Almsmith; Dubuc-Stanage.			
At Cleveland		R. H. E.	
Cleveland	.....	2 10 0 2 0 0 0 0 0	5 11 1
Philadelphia	.....	0 10 3 0 0 1 0 0	6 14 1
Walker-O'Neill; Wyckoff-McAvoy.			
Federal League		R. H. E.	
At Pittsburgh	.....	0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1	4 12 0
Brooklyn	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 6 2
Pittsburgh	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 6 2
Seaton-Pratt; Knetzer-Berry.			
Second game		R. H. E.	
Brooklyn	.....	0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2	4 9 0
Pittsburgh	.....	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 3	5 12 3
Marion-Land; Allen-O'Connor.			
At Kansas City		R. H. E.	
Newark	.....	0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 2	5 16 2
Kansas City	.....	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 4	6 10 1
Falkenberg-Bariden; Main-Brown.			
Western League		R. H. E.	
At Omaha	.....	1 2 1 0 1 0 1 0	6 12 2
Omaha	.....	0 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	4 9 3
Blodgett-Kafora; Dawson-Yantz.			
At St. Joseph		R. H. E.	
Topeka	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	3 10 0
St. Joseph	.....	0 0 1 0 0 7 0 0 0	8 10 0
Grover-Montrose; Vance-White.			
At Sioux City		R. H. E.	
Sioux City	.....	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1 5 1
Denver	.....	0 0 3 1 1 1 0 3 0	9 14 0
Kelley-Crisp; Mitchell-Spahr.			
At Des Moines		R. H. E.	
Wichita	.....	0 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0	3 11 2
Des Moines	.....	2 2 4 0 0 1 0 0	9 8 0
Nelson-Griffith; Musser-Graham.			
American Association		R. H. E.	
At Kansas City	.....	1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0	11 4
Cleveland	.....	1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0	11 4
Kansas City	.....	1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0	11 4
James-Basler; Regan-Alexander.			

## EXPECT 1000 STUDENTS AT M. U. SUMMER SESSION.

Faculty of Seventy-Four Will Give Courses for Eight Weeks Beginning June 11.

Already students are coming into Columbia to enroll in the Summer Session of the University which will open June 11 and continue for eight weeks. A large number of the students of the Summer Session are teachers who take work during their vacation that will fit them for higher salaries during the coming year. However, the Summer Session at the University of Missouri offers courses in many other departments besides those particularly relating to teaching. Fully 1,000 students are expected at Columbia this summer. The enrollment last summer was about 850.

The faculty of the 1915 Summer Session will consist of seventy-four members, representing eleven other colleges and universities besides the University of Missouri. Courses will be offered in twenty-seven departments as follows: In agriculture 12 courses; in botany, 3; chemistry, 5; economics, 3; education, 20; engineering, 5; English, 9; geology and geography, 7; German, 8; Greek, 1; history, 10; home economics, 6; journalism, 6; Latin, 5; library methods, 1; manual arts, 8; mathematics, 9, music, 7; philosophy, 3; physical education, 5; physics, 9; political science, 3; psychology, 2; romance languages, 4; sociology, 3; zoology, 3.

All of the courses offered are of college grade and many of them count toward degrees given by the University of Missouri on the completion of prescribed curricula.

## LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, May 26th, 1915:

## Men.

Bartlett, H. C.  
Culver, Thos. R.  
Charles P. P.  
Coulter, C. M.  
DeArmond, J. D.  
Dunkle, Wm.  
Gibson, Wm.  
Menz, W. D. (Official)  
Quinn, Bob  
Radabaugh, J. S.  
Tapley, George A.  
Varve, Calla  
Zuck, Amos E.

## Women.

Alin, Mrs. Annie  
Bailey, Miss Anna  
Graves, Miss Bessie  
Huff, Mrs. Grace  
Millard, Miss Goldie  
Sipes, Mrs. C. H.  
Troupe, Wm. N.  
Williams, Mrs. Anna

## Miscellaneous.

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Respectfully

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

## Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets

will relieve your indigestion. Many people in this town have used them and we have yet to hear of a case where they have failed. We know the formula. Sold only by us—25c a box. Great-Henry Drug Co.

## Market Live Stock.

The following Nodaway county farmers and stockmen marketed live stock in St. Joseph yesterday:

F. C. Argabright and G. T. Clardy, Elmo; Henderson & Whiteford and W. N. Wray, Gulfport; M. B. Sherlock, La. E. White and J. B. Nunneley, Maryville; W. A. Anderson, Pickering; Joe Holker, Hopkins; C. Fennell and A. Logan, Burlington Junction; C. J. White, F. Peoples and J. Owens, Skidmore.

Arrangements have been made for public dances this year in the smaller parks and play grounds in St. Louis. A portable platform, which will be taken from park to park according to schedule, is being constructed.

## MEMORIAL DAY FLOWERS

The beautiful custom of honoring those who have laid down their lives in sacrifice for the principles for which they fought and showing a tribute to our loved ones departed, by covering their graves with flowers at least once a year is one of the most inspiring and poetic breaks in the busy life of our country and it is a credit that Memorial Day is observed with increasing interest each year. Our selection provides everything suitable for the proper observance of Memorial Day in flowers such as beautiful blooming plants, fresh cut flowers, and lasting wreaths, etc.

**The Engelmann Greenhouses**  
1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

## LORD KITCHENER RETAINS HIS POST

Balfour Is New First Lord of Admiralty.

## ASQUITH AND GREY TO STAY.

Lloyd-George Made Minister of Munitions and Churchill Chancellor of Duchy of Lancaster—King George Approves Coalition Government.

London, May 26.—Lord Kitchener retains the post of secretary of war in the new coalition cabinet, which has received the approval of King George. The new first lord of the admiralty will be Arthur J. Balfour, Winston Spencer Churchill, former head of the admiralty, is given the portfolio of chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster.

Herbert H. Asquith retains the premiership and Sir Edward Grey the ministry of foreign affairs. David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer in the old cabinet, will be minister of munitions in the new one.

The new cabinet follows: Prime minister, Mr. Asquith; minister without portfolio, Lord Lansdowne; lord high chancellor, Sir Stanley O. Buckmaster; lord president of the council, Lord Crewe; lord provy seal, Lord Curzon; chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna; secretary of state for home affairs, Sir John A. Simon; secretary of state for foreign affairs, Sir Edward Grey; secretary for the colonies, Andrew Bonar Law; secretary for India, J. Austen Chamberlain; secretary of state for war, Lord Kitchener, minister of munitions, David Lloyd-George; first lord of the admiralty, Arthur J. Balfour; president of the board of trade, Walter Runciman; president of the local government board, Walter Hume Long; chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, Winston Spencer Churchill; chief secretary for Ireland, Augustine Birrell; secretary for Scotland, Thomas McKinnon Wood; president of the board of agriculture, Lord Selborne; first commissioner of works, Lewis Harcourt; president of the board of education, Arthur Henderson; attorney general, Sir Edward Carson.

## CANNON BACK FROM HAWAII

Congressmen Favor Additional Fortifications on Islands.

San Francisco, May 26.—Congressman Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois and twelve colleagues arrived here from Honolulu. Mr. Cannon said he had not read the government's note to Germany about the Lusitania.

"But," he added, "there are too many notes and no action."

Party lines, those arriving said, remained unbroken on the question of free sugar. Most of the contingent said they favored additional fortifications on the islands.

Twenty-nine members of the congressional party of 140 persons, which left several weeks ago for a tour of the islands, have returned.

## Packers Withdraw Requests.

Washington, May 26.—After conferences with British embassy officials the packers withdrew their request for representations by the American government pending the outcome of further negotiations with the embassy. Secretary Bryan said he understood prize court hearings in the cases of four meat ships had been repeatedly postponed. The department promised to do what it could to induce the British government to bring them to an early trial.

## F-4 Nears Sea's Surface.

Honolulu, May 26.—The submarine F-4 was brought within eighty-seven feet of the surface. Divers were temporarily halted by the lifting operations, and they went down for an examination of the channel's entrance. Navy officials are confident the F-4 will be brought to the top of the water this week.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, May 26.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, \$1.55½; July, \$1.28½; Corn—July, 76½c; Sept., 77½c; Oats—July, 51½c; Sept., 45½c. Pork—July, \$18.10; Sept., \$18.42½. Lard—July, \$9.80; Sept., \$10.05. Ribs—July, \$10.57½; Sept., \$10.82½. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.54½@1.56½; No. 2 yellow wheat, \$1.54½@1.56½; No. 3 white oats, 53½c.

## Chicago Live Stock.

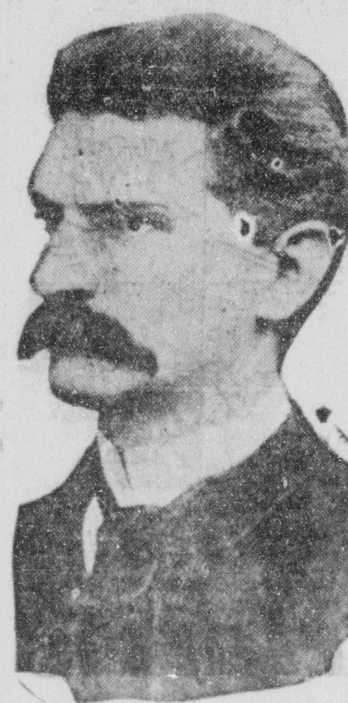
Chicago, May 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; firm; native beef steers \$7.00-9.30; westerns, \$6.80-9.10; cows and heifers 9.25. Hogs—Receipts, 13,000, strong, 5c higher; bulk of sales, \$7.50@7.60; light, \$7.30@7.40; heavy, \$7.40@7.50; rough, \$7.10@7.25; pigs, \$5.75@7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; unsettled; sheep, \$7.20@8.25; lambs, \$8.75@10.25.

## South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, May 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,700; steady to 10c higher; beef steers, \$7.35@9.10; cows and heifers, \$4.00-8.00; stockers and feeders, \$6.00-8.00; bulls, \$5.00@7.25; calves, \$8.00@10.75. Hogs—Receipts, 9,500; 5c higher; bulk of sales, \$7.25@7.35. Sheep—Receipts, 2,700; 10c@15c higher; lambs, \$8.90@10.00; ewes, \$6.75@7.25.

## BARON SONNINO.

Italian Foreign Minister Directs Nation's Destinies In Present War Crisis.



## HIGH COURT RULES BECKER MUST DIE

Ex-Lieutenant Loses Appeal From Second Conviction.

Albany, N. Y., May 26.—The second conviction of former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker for instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the New York gambler, was upheld by the court of appeals.

Becker now must die unless he can obtain clemency from Governor Whitman, who as district attorney of New York, prosecuted him, or the United States supreme court intervenes with habeas corpus writ or otherwise.

The chief judge, Willard Bartlett, wrote the prevailing opinion and Judges Hisscock, Chase, Collin, Cuddeback and Cordoro concurred. Judge Hogan dissented. Judge Samuel Seabury, who is